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WARRANT FOR SPECIAL TOWN MEETING
FEBRUARY 5, 1987
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

MIDDLESEX, SS.

To the Constable, or any other suitable person of the Town of Chelmsford:

In the name of the Commonwealth, aforesaid, you are hereby requested to notify and warn the legal voters of said Chelmsford to meet in the McCarthy Middle School Auditorium on Thursday, evening, the 5th day of February 1987, at 7:30 p.m., then and there to act upon the following Articles, Viz:

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Discontinuance Permits

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All terms used in this article will be defined in accordance with the definitions of such terms in the Massachusetts General Laws, c. 140. In addition, the following terms will have the following meanings:

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For the purposes of this By-law, if a mobile home park owner requests certificates of eviction for more than five (5%) percent of the mobile home owners within his park within any thirty (30) day period, other than for non-payment of rent or other violation of park rules, then it will be presumed that the mobile home park owner seeks to discontinue the use of each such lot as a mobile home site. Any mobile home park owner may rebut this presumption by clear and convincing evidence to the contrary.

b) "Alternative sites" will mean any site for a mobile home park, other than a current site, in Eastern Massachusetts, within 50 miles of the current site, situate in a community of comparable size and make up, for which any mobile home park fees are not greater than 110% of the fees charged or assessed at the current site.

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c) "Board" will mean the Board of Health for the Town of Chelmsford.

d) "Person" will mean any individual, partnership, joint venturers, corporation, or trust, as fits the context.

Section 3. Discontinuance Prohibited without Permit

It will be unlawful for any person to discontinue the use of all or any part of a mobile home park or the land currently used for a mobile home park without first having obtained from the Board a permit of discontinuance as hereinafter provided.

Section 4. Procedure for Obtaining Discontinuance Permit

a) Any person seeking to obtain a permit for discontinuance as required under Section 3 of this article must request such a permit in writing from the Board.

b) Any request made pursuant to Section 4(a) above may be filed at any time following the giving of the two year notice as required by Massachusetts General Laws, c. 140, sec. 32L (8).

c) Within six (6) months, but no sooner than thirty (30) days, after receiving a written request, the board will hold a public hearing concerning the written request.

d) Upon receipt of any request for a discontinuance permit, the Board will cause notice to be mailed to all mobile home owners at the mobile home park affected by the request at least fifteen (15) days prior to the date scheduled for the hearing. In addition, the Board will post notice of such hearing at the Town Offices at least seven (7) days prior to the date scheduled for such hearing. Moreover, the person requesting such discontinuance permit will comply with the notice requirements of Massachusetts General Laws c. 140, sec. 32L (8).

Such notice must contain the date scheduled for the public hearing, the name of the person requesting the discontinuance permit, and the names of the mobile home owners affected by the discontinuance.

Section 5. Granting of Permit Mandatory Provided Certain Conditions Met

a) At such public hearing, the Board must hear from any mobile home owner at the mobile home park affected by the request. Following any such testimony, the Board must grant the discontinuance permit, provided the person requesting the permit has demonstrated to the satisfaction of the majority of the Board that:

i) The two year notice, as provided by Massachusetts General Laws, c. 140, sec. 32L (8), has been properly served to all necessary parties within twenty five (25) months prior to the request for a discontinuance permit;

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1) The two year notice, as provided by Massachusetts General Laws, c. 140, sec. 32L (6), has been properly served to all necessary parties within twenty five (25) months prior to the request for a discontinuance permit;

ii) The person requesting the discontinuance permit, or his predecessor in interest, has received the proper licenses to operate the mobile home park, as required by Massachusetts General Laws, c. 140, sec. 32B and any bylaw or article of the Town of Chelmsford;

iii) The person requesting the discontinuance permit has given to each mobile home owner affected by the discontinuance the location of any alternative site or has otherwise given notice of a different site that is agreeable to any owner for whom an alternative site is not provided;

and

iv) All alternative sites, as referenced in subsection iii) above are available to the respective mobile home owner in the six months following the end of the two year period, following notice given pursuant to Massachusetts General Laws, c. 140, sec. 32L (8).

b) Any request for a permit must be denied if:

i) the permit is not granted within six (6) months of the request for permit;

or

ii) at the public hearing at which the Board considers the request, the person requesting the permit fails to demonstrate to a majority of the Board that the conditions for the granting of a permit, as stated in section 5 a) above, have been satisfied.

Section 6. Miscellaneous Provisions

a) If the person seeking to discontinue use of a mobile home park has served the mobile home owners with the two year notice, as provided in Massachusetts General Laws, c. 140 sec. 32L (8), prior to the effective date of this By-law, such person must make a written request to the Board for a discontinuance permit within thirty (30) days of the effective date of this article.

Moreover, if such person who has given a two year notice prior to the effective date of this article is unable to meet the twenty-five (25) month requirement, the Board may, for good cause shown, suspend that requirement, provided that in no instance will the Board consider or grant a request for a permit of discontinuance filed with the Board more than thirty one (31) months following the giving of a two year notice pursuant to Massachusetts General Laws, c. 140, sect. 32L (8).

b) Except for non-payment of rent or other violation of park rules, the Mobile Home Park Rent Control Board of the Town of Chelmsford will not issue any certificate of eviction concerning a mobile home owner whose lot is sought to be discontinued unless a discontinuance permit affecting that owner has been issued by the Board.

c) Nothing in this article will be construed as requiring any mobile home owner to vacate his or her site prior to the end of the two year period after the giving of notice as provided by Massachusetts General Laws, c. 140, sec. 32L (8).

Section 7. Severability

The provisions of this By-law are severable, and if any provision of this By-law is declared unlawful by a valid judgment or decree of any court of competent jurisdiction, such invalidity will not affect any remaining provisions of this By-law.

Or act in relation thereto.

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this 13th day of January, 1967.

John F. Emerson, Jr., Chairman

Dennis J. Keady, Vice Chairman

Bonita A. Towle, Clerk

Roger A. Blomgren

Henrick N. Johnson, Jr.

Selectmen of the Town of Chelmsford

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

MIDDLESEX, SS. January 14, 1987

Pursuant to the within warrant, I have notified and warned the Innabitants of the Town of Chelmsford by posting up attested copies of same at the following places, to wit: Town Office Building Gym; Harrington School Gym; Harrington School Gym; Westland School Cafeteria; Byam School Cafeteria; Westland School Cafeteria; Harrington School Gym; McCarthy Middle School Little Gymnasium; South Row School Cafeteria; South Row School Cafeteria; Westland School Cafeteria; McCarthy Middle School Little Gymnasium seven days at least before the time appointed for holding the meeting aforesaid.

William E. Spence
William E. Spence
Constable of Chelmsford

A True Copy Attest, William E. Spence
William E. Spence, Constable of Chelmsford

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING
FEBRUARY 5th, 1987

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5/17/89
PLEASE SEE THE NEXT PAGE. THE MODERATOR DENNIS E. MCHUGH REQUESTED A CHANGE BE MADE IN THE MINUTES TO REFLECT MORE DETAILED ACTION.

Elizabeth L. Delaney
Ass't Town Clerk

Dennis McHugh,
Moderator

Mary E. St.Hilaire,
Town Clerk

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May 3, 1989

Ms. Betty Delaney
Town Clerk's Office
Town Hall
50 Billerica Road
Chelmsford, MA 01824

Dear Betty:

I would like the annotation of the close of business at that February Special Town Meeting to be as follows:

"The Special Town Meeting was scheduled to begin at 7:30 p.m. at the McCarthy Middle School Auditorium. The By-Law requires 300 voters present for a quorum in order to conduct a Special Town Meeting; there were only 79 voters present. At 8:00 p.m., after consultation with town counsel, the Moderator explained that in a situation where insufficient voters who were present for a Special Town Meeting that the Moderator could entertain a motion for adjournment to a specific time or dissolve the meeting. Because of a possibility that some interested parties would not be properly notified of a continuation of this meeting and because there was still time to re-petition and schedule this special for inclusion in the annual town meeting, thereby minimizing the expense of the special meeting, the moderator declared that the meeting should be dissolved."

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Mary E. St.Hilaire,
Town Clerk

WARRANT FOR THE ANNUAL TOWN MEETING
APRIL 7, 1987 AND APRIL 27, 1987

MIDDLESEX, SS.

To the constable, or any other suitable person of the Town of Chelmsford:

GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid, you are hereby requested to notify and warn the legal voters of said Chelmsford to meet in their several polling places, Viz:

Precinct 1.	The New Town Office Building Gymnasium
Precinct 2.	Harrington Elementary School Gymnasium
Precinct 3.	Harrington Elementary School Gymnasium
Precinct 4.	Westland School Cafeteria
Precinct 5.	Byam School Cafeteria
Precinct 6.	Westland School Cafeteria
Precinct 7.	Harrington Elementary School Gymnasium
Precinct 8.	McCarthy Middle School, Small Gymnasium
Precinct 9.	South Row School Cafeteria
Precinct 10.	South Row School Cafeteria
Precinct 11.	Westlands School Cafeteria
Precinct 12.	McCarthy Middle School, Small Gymnasium

On Tuesday, the seventh (7th) day of April, 1987, being the first Tuesday in said month, at 7:00 A.M., for the following purposes:

To bring in their vote for the following officers:
One Moderator for three years
One Town Clerk for three years
One Selectmen for three years
One Treasurer and Tax Collector for three years
One Member of the Board of Assessors for three years
One Member of Board of Health for three years
Two Members of School Committee for three years
Two Members of Public Library Trustees for three years
One Park Commissioner for three years
One Cemetery Commissioner for three years
One Member of Housing Authority for five years
Two Planning Board Members for three years
One Planning Board member unexpired one year term to fill vacancy
One Sewer Commissioner for three years
One Tree Warden for three years

and to vote on the following questions:

Question 1. Shall the Town of Chelmsford be allowed to exempt from the provisions of proposition two and one-half (2 1/2), so-called, the amounts required to pay for the bonds to be issued in order to design and construct a Senior Center, which bonds were authorized by a vote passed under Article 6 of the warrant for the December 8, 1986 Special Town Meeting?

Yes

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No

Question 2. Shall the Town of Chelmsford be allowed to exempt from the provisions of Proposition two and one-half (2 1/2), so called, the amounts required to pay for the bonds to be issued in order to design and construct sewers, pump stations and force mains to serve Chelmsford Center and Study Areas 26, 32 and 33, as described in the 1986 "Amended Facilities Plan for Wastewater Management," Bridge Street, and Chelmsford High School, Harrington School, Parker School, and residential units on Richardson Road, Prescott Drive, Edgelawn Avenue, and Marose Avenue; and to pay for related legal, administrative and other pertinent expenses which totals $7,100,000.00, and is to be appropriated at the 1987 Annual Town Meeting under Article 21 or at a subsequent special or Annual Town Meeting?

Yes

No

The polls will be open from 7:00 A.M. to 8:00 P.M.; and to meet in the McCarthy Middle School Gymnasium on Monday, the twenty-seven (27th) day of April, 1987, at 7:30 P.M. o'clock in the evening, then and there to act upon the following Articles, Viz:

ARTICLE 1. To hear reports of the Town Officers and Committees; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 2. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Personnel Wage and Salary By-Law to be effective July 1, 1987 as follows:

1. Under Section 4, "Scope of the Plan and Authority of the Personnel Board", amend Subsection (B) by deleting the first paragraph and substituting the following:

(B) Those filled by popular elections; with the exception of Assessors, Town Clerk, and Treasurer/Tax Collector, who shall come under this By-Law for compensation purposes only, subject to ratification by an annual vote of the town at an Annual Town Meeting as required in Section 108 of Chapter 41. The Personnel Board may continue to render recommendations relative to compensation for other elective positions.

2. Under Section 6, "Classification of Town Employees", amend Subsection (E) - "Wage and Salary Schedule" by deleting the existing schedule and substituting the following:

E. WAGE AND SALARY SCHEDULE
JULY 1, 1987 - JUNE 30, 1988

GRADE LEVEL	SALARY RANGE
1A	12,788 - 15,921
1B	14,455 - 17,997
1C	16,123 - 20,073
1D	19,459 - 24,226
2	24,463 - 30,456
3	32,803 - 40,840
4	37,808 - 47,071
5	42,814 - 53,303

3. Under Section 24 subtitled "Job Titles and Standard Rates of Wages and Salaries of the Personnel Wage and Salary By-Law", by adding the following positions:

Administrative and clerical

15. Admin. Assistant to the Planning Board
16. Town Clerk
17. Town Treasurer/Collector
18. Assessors

Library

9. Maintenance Specialist

Town Police Department

4. Trainee

Other Positions

12. Assistant Town Engineer
13. Respite Care Program Director
14. Home Delivered Meals Coordinator
15. Superintendent of Buildings
16. Senior Citizens Activities Coordinator

4. Add a new Section 29 subtitled POLICE TRAINEE and include the following:

(A) The definition of "police trainee" is any person appointed as a regular police officer after January 1, 1987, during the period of time that such person is attending a police academy or other training facility authorized by the Chief of Police.

(B) Police trainee shall not be paid overtime and shall not be entitled to any other benefits under this By-Law.

(C) For purposes of benefits upon graduation from a police academy and future employment with the Chelmsford Police Department, the date of the first day of the academy, or the first day of actual work for the police department after appointment and before the start of an academy, whichever come first, shall be considered their date of employment.

(D) Any police trainee that fails to successfully complete the authorized police academy shall have no further rights under this By-Law, and may be dismissed by the police department under existing state laws.

5. Amend under section 24 subtitled "Job Titles and Standard Rates of Wages and Salaries of the Personal Wage and Salary By-Law", by deleting the position of 4. Town Aide, under the category of Administrative and Clerical, and add in the following position in its place: Adminstrative and Clerical 4. Council of Aging Director.

6. Amend under section 24 subtitled "Job Titles and Standard Rates of Wages and Salaries of the Personal Wage and Salary By-Law", by deleting the position of 4. Mechanic (Fire & Police), under the category of Town Fire Department, and adding the following position in its place: 4. Truck Mechanic (Fire & Police).

7. Amend under section 24 subtitled "Job Titles and Standard Rates of Wages and Salaries of the Personal Wage and Salary By-Law", by adding the position of 5. Auto Mechanic (Fire & Police), under the category of Town Fire Department.

or act in relation thereto.

Personnel Board

ARTICLE 2A. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Personnel Wage and Salary By-Law by further amending Section 24, "Job Titles and Standard Rates for Wages and Salaries of the Personnel Wage and Salary By-Law", to conform to rates of pay negotiated by the Town with certain labor organizations, pursuant to General Laws Chapter 150E, and to reflect current salaries and grade levels under the Personnel By-Law as follows:

	7/86 - 7/87		7/87-6/88	
ADMINISTRATIVE & CLERICAL	Current Level	Current Salary	Proposed Level	Proposed Salary
1. Executive Secretary	4		5	
2. Town Accountant	3		3	
3. Veteran's Agent	2		2	
4. Council of Aging Director	-		2	
5. Assistant to Assessors	1D		1D	
6. Assistant Town Clerk	1D		2	
7. Assistant Treasurer	1D		2	
8. Clerk, Senior	1C		1C	
9. Clerk, Junior	1A		1C	
10. Clerk, Part-Time	1A		1A	
11. Town Counsel		$500 P.A.		$500 P.A.
12. Board of Reg., Three Members		$360 EA.		$500 EA.
13. Assistant Town Accountant	1D		2	
14. Admin. Assistant to the Executive Secretary	1D		1D	
15. Admin. Assistant to the Planning Board	-		1D	
16. Town Clerk	-		3	
17. Town Treasurer/Collector	-		3	
18. Assessor	-		3	
CONSERVATION, PARKS & CEMETERY				
1. Cemetery Superintendent	2		2	
2. Supt. of Inspect and Pest Control		$1,250 P.A.		$1,250 P.A.
3. Landscaper - Park	1A		1A	
4. Laborer - Park	1A		1A	
5. Unskilled Laborer	#2, #3		#2, #3	
6. Skilled Forest Workman - Conservation	1A		1A	
7. Equipment Operator	1C		1C	
8. Park Superintendent	2		2	

	7/86 - 7/87		7/87-6/88	
	Current Level	Current Salary	Proposed Level	Proposed Salary
CUSTODIAL				
1. Custodian	1B		1B	
LIBRARY				
1. Library Director	3		3	
2. Library Department Head	1D		1D	
3. Library Specialists	1C		1C	
4. Library Assistant	1B		1B	
5. Library Clerk	1A		1A	
6. Maintenance Assistant	1B		1B	
7. Page	#2, #3		#2, #3	
8. Library Assistant Director			2	
9. Maintenance Specialist	-		1C	
HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT				
1. Highway Superintendent	3		3	
2. Highway Foreman	2		2	
TOWN FIRE DEPARTMENT				
1. Fire Chief	#2		#2	
2. Deputy Fire Chief	#2		4	
3. Captain	#2		#2	
4. Truck Mechanic (Fire and Police)	-		2	
5. Auto Mechanic (Fire and Police)	-		1D	
TOWN POLICE DEPARTMENT				
1. Police Chief	5		5	
2. Deputy Chief	4		4	
3. Captain	3		3	
4. Trainee	-		$359.50 per week	
RECREATION				
1. Director/Youth Center Coordinator	2		2	
2. Clerk, Part-time	1A		1A	
3. Waterfront Director	1A		1A	
4. Swimming Instructor	1A		1A	
5. Lifeguard	1A		1A	
6. Playground Supervisor	1B		1B	
7. Recreation Specialist	1A		1A	
8. Recreation Leader	1A		1A	
9. Youth Center Supervisor	1C		1C	
10. Youth Center Leaders	1A		1A	

OTHER POSITION	7/86 - 7/87 Current Level	Current Salary	7/87-6/88 Proposed Level	Proposed Salary
1. Building Inspector	3		3	
2. Electric Inspector	2		2	
3. Local Inspector	2		2	
4. Gas Inspector	#2	$8,500 P.A.	#2	$8,500 P.A.
5. Dog Officer	1C		1D	
6. Assistant Dog Officer	1A		1A	
7. Van Driver	1B		1B	
8. Sealer of Weights & Measures	#2	$2,000 P.A.	#2	$2,000 P.A.
9. Animal Inspector	#2	$1,000 P.A.	#2	$1,000 P.A.
10. Clock Winder	#2	$ 200 P.A.	#2	$ 200 P.A.
11. Town Engineer	3		3	
12. Assistant Town Engineer	-		2	
13. Respite Core Program Director	-		1D	
14. Home Delivered Meals Coordinator	-		1A	
15. Superintendent of Buildings	-		1D	
16. Senior Citizens Activities Coordinator	-		1B	

FOOTNOTES

#1 - Represented by Collective Bargaining
#2 - Not in "Job Rating Plan"
#3 - $3.75/Hr. first year, $4.25/Hr. second year, $4.75/Hr. third year

Or Act in relation thereto.

Personnel Board

ARTICLE 3. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be required to defray Town charges for the fiscal period from July 1, 1987 to June 30, 1988; or act in relation thereto.

Town Treasurer

ARTICLE 4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Board of Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning July 1, 1987; in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 4, and to issue a note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 17 and 17(a); or act in relation thereto.

Town Treasurer

ARTICLE 5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, transfer and appropriate from available funds, transfer and appropriate from the Stabilization Fund and/or borrow a certain sum of money to engage a private accounting firm to prepare an audit of all accounts in all departments in the Town of Chelmsford; or act in relation thereto.

Town Treasurer

ARTICLE 6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a certain sum of money to be used as a Reserve Fund at the discretion of the Finance Committee, as provided in General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 6; or act in relation thereto.

Finance Committee

ARTICLE 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer and appropriate from available funds a certain sum of money with which to meet bills of previous years; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 8. To see if the Town will vote to transfer a certain sum of money from the sale of graves and lots to the Cemetery Improvement and Development Fund; or act in relation thereto.

Cemetery Commission

ARTICLE 9. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for consideration to be determined, to convey and transfer, an easement, as shown as 20 foot wide emergency vehicle access easement on a plan of land entitled "Plan of Access Easement for the Town of Chelmsford", prepared by Fleming, Bienvenu and Associates, Inc., dated November 1, 1985 said plan being on file with the Town Engineer and incorporated herewith, and to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to acquire, in fee simple and/or easement, by purchase, by eminent domain or otherwise, an emergency vehicular easement from Wellman Avenue, over a private way known as Duke of Gloucester Street, to said above 20 foot wide emergency vehicle access easement, for the purpose of securing emergency access to Williamsburg Condominium, and to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, transfer and appropriate from available funds, transfer and appropriate from the Stabilization Fund, transfer and appropriate from revenue sharing funds, and/or borrow a certain sum of money to defray all necessary costs, fees and expenses in connection with the acquisition of said land and for paying any damages which may be awarded as the result of any such taking; and further to authorize the Board of Selectmen to negotiate and execute all necessary and proper contracts and agreements thereto; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 10. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to acquire any and all temporary and/or permanent easements, and any property in fee simple, with the buildings and trees thereon, by purchase, eminent domain, or otherwise, for the property located in the Town of Chelmsford, Massachusetts and further described as Parcel "A" as shown on a set of plans, entitled "Plan of land entitled, Eminent Domain takings, Parkhurst/Drum Hill Road, dated March 2, 1987, prepared by the Town of Chelmsford by James Pearson, Town Engineer, copies of which are on file in the office of the Town Engineer and are incorporated herewith, for the purpose of securing traffic safety and road improvements, and to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, transfer and appropriate from available funds, transfer and appropriate from the Stabilization Fund, transfer and appropriate revenue sharing funds and/or borrow a certain sum of money to defray all necessary costs, fees and expenses in connection with the acquisition of said land and for paying any damages which may be awarded as the result of any such taking; and to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to negotiate and execute all necessary and proper contracts and agreements thereto; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 11. To see if the Town will vote to accept Locust Street as laid out by the Board of Selectmen and shown by their reports and plans duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk, and to raise and appropriate, or transfer and appropriate from available funds, transfer and appropriate from the Stabilization Fund, transfer and appropriate revenue sharing funds and/or borrow a certain sum of money for the purpose of reconstructing Locust Street, providing all the construction of the same meets with the requirements of the Board of Selectmen, and subject to the withholding of any remaining bonds until such requirements have been met; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 12. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, to enter into compensating balance agreements, during fiscal 1988, as permitted by General Laws Chapter 41, Section 53F; or act in relation thereto.

Town Treasurer

ARTICLE 13. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Chelmsford Zoning By-Law by deleting the present zoning map and substituting the redrafted map proposed by the Planning Board, as filed with the Town Clerk, and displayed at the Annual Town Meeting; or act in relation thereto.

Planning Board

ARTICLE 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, transfer and appropriate from available funds, transfer and appropriate from the Stabilization Fund, transfer and appropriate from revenue sharing funds and/or borrow the sum of $65,000. from the Stabilization Fund for the purchase of five (5) Police Cruisers and authorize the disposal of five (5) obsolete vehicles; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen
Capital Planning

ARTICLE 15. To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate the sum of $261,800. from the unexpended proceeds of the amount authorized for capital planning projects expenditures under Article 43, Annual Town Meeting 1984, for the following purposes:

1.	Roof and Structural repairs to Adams and McKay Libraries and Carriage House Building	55,000
2.	Roof Coating work at McCarthy School (Needed to maintain guarantee)	17,000
3.	Roof work at Town Offices Building	31,800
4.	Construction of access road from upper level parking lot to lower level at Town Offices Building	25,000
5.	Recreation: field work at East School, South Row School and McFarlin	28,000
6.	Recreation: Basketball Court repairs South Row	5,000
7.	Replace fire alarm system at High School	100,000
	TOTAL	261,800

or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen
Capital Planning

ARTICLE 16. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the transfer and appropriation of funds previously authorized for expenditure under Article 13, Annual Town Meeting 1986 as follows:

1.	Increase amount authorized for purchase of Cemetery Department 3/4 ton pick up truck from $12,000 to $17,000.	5,000
2.	Increase amount authorized for the purchase of Police Department stainless steel toilets (6) from $6,000 to $6,500.	500
3.	Decrease amount authorized for Building Inspection purchase of microfilm reader/printer from $13,000 to $7,500.	5,500

or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen
Capital Planning

ARTICLE 17. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $2,115,981 for the following capital projects:

1.	Cemetery Department- Dump Truck 4 wheel drive - one ton	26,000
2.	Park Department- 18 HP tractor with 50" mower and grass collection unit	8,000
3.	Highway Department- Two (2) Stainless Steel Sanders	22,000
4.	Highway Department- Two (2) Cab & Chassis for Sanders	62,000
5.	Highway Department- Road Resurfacing Funds	462,100
6.	Highway Department- One Diesel Dump Truck	49,000
7.	Highway Department- One Vacuum Street Sweeper	72,000
8.	Highway Department- One Self Propelled-Diesel- Asphalt Paver with Trade-in of present paver	26,500
9.	Highway Department- One New Car/Truck for Superintendent	11,000
10.	Library- Eight (8) Pac terminals/ eight (8) ports	50,000
11.	Fire Department- New Car for Chief	13,000
12.	Fire Department- Mini-Pumper/Brusher Truck	95,000
13.	Fire Department- Engine 02 - Retrofit	60,000
14.	Fire Department- Engine 04 & 05 improvements	170,000
15.	Fire Department- Engine 02 floor rehab work	100,000
16.	Fire Department- Engine 01 office rehab work	22,000
17.	Fire Department- 2,000 ft. large diameter hose	40,000
18.	Fire Department- Ladder work (new specs)	10,000
19.	Assessors Department- Data Processing Hardware and Software & Accessories	65,000
20.	Police Department- Radar units replaced	6,000
21.	Police Department- Parking Lot Extension	25,000
22.	Police Department- Office area construction in rear garage area	25,000
23.	School- Replacement of student furniture	37,500
24.	School- 3/4 Ton pickup truck with snow blade	17,000
25.	School- Tractor with mower, snowblade, tractor cab, wheel weights and tire chains	14,000
26.	School- terminals replaced (Administrative)	33,236
27.	School- Audio/Visual Equipment	16,075
28.	School- Television Equipment	19,070
29.	School- McCarthy telephone system replaced	10,000
30.	School- McCarthy refurbish student lockers	44,000
31.	School- McCarthy refurbish auditorium seats	25,000
32.	School- McCarthy painting corridors, cafeteria auditorium, and fifteen classrooms	40,000
33.	School- McCarthy replacement of floor tile in front foyer, upper level, and in all four stairwells	10,000
34.	School- McCarthy auditorium lights & PA systems replaced	9,000
35.	School- McCarthy lockers installed in boys locker room	25,000
36.	School- McCarthy caulking of windows	33,000
37.	School- High School bleachers in gym replaced	75,000
38.	School- High School boys locker room work completed	72,000
39.	School- High School painting	10,000
40.	School- Library renovations	58,000
41.	School- Alumni Field projects/rest room facilities and refreshment stand/plumbing work	20,500
42.	School- Storage shed 40'X80' metal	128,000
		2,115,981

and to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, transfer and appropriate from available funds, transfer and appropriate from the Stabilization Fund, transfer and appropriate from revenue sharing funds and/or authorize the Treasurer, to borrow the sum of $2,115,981.00 to fund these obligations, with the approval of the Selectmen, pursuant to General Laws Chapter 44, Section 07; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen
Capital Planning

ARTICLE 18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, transfer from available funds or borrow a certain sum of money for the purpose of School Building Capital Improvements and Preservation and authorize the School Committee to proceed with said project and to execute all necessary and proper contracts and agreements in respect thereto, and to do all other acts necessary; or act in relation thereto.

School Committee

ARTICLE 19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a certain sum of money for the operation of the Chelmsford Public Schools, said sum to be reduced by the use of available and anticipated Federal Funds and Educational Collaborative Funds; or act in relation thereto.

School Committee

ARTICLE 20. To see if the Town will vote to accept the following mentioned streets, as laid out by the Board of Selectmen and shown by their reports duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk:

1. Wedgewood Drive (2,240 feet long)
2. Shandel Drive (960 feet long)
3. Warwick Drive (1,520 feet long)

Providing all the construction of the same meets with the requirements of the Board of Selectmen, and subject to the withholding of any remaining bonds until such requirements have been met; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 21. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, transfer from available funds, borrow or appropriate and transfer from the Stabilization Fund the sum of ($7,100,000.00) as the local share of the cost for the purpose of design and construction of sewers, pump stations, and force mains to serve Chelmsford Center, Study Areas 28, 32, and 33 as described in the 1986 "Amended Facility Plan for Wastewater Management," Bridge Street, Chelmsford High School, Harrington School, Parker School, and residential units on Richardson Road, Prescott Drive, Edgelawn Avenue and Marose Avenue; and for related legal, administrative and other pertinent expenses; to authorize the Sewer Commission with the consent of the Board of Selectmen or Town Meeting, to acquire by purchase, eminent domain or

otherwise all easements and rights concerning land necessary in conjunction with the project to determine how any such appropriation shall be raised, whether by transfer from available funds, by taxation, by borrowing or otherwise, and if by borrowing, the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Board of Selectmen be authorized to borrow under G.L. Chapter 44, as amended and supplemented, and to issue and sell general obligation bonds or notes of the Town therefor; that the Sewer Commission be authorized to apply for, accept and expend any state and federal grants and local monies that may be available for the project; that betterments shall be assessed based on sewer units in conjunction with the sewer construction, in accordance with the applicable provisions of the General Laws of the Commonwealth. Acceptance of this article and the expenditure of any funds authorized by it shall be contingent upon approval by the Town for an exemption from Proposition 2 1/2 limitations to the extent of repaying any bonding authorized herein. Approval for an exemption of Proposition 2 1/2 shall be by ballot vote at either a state or local election as required by statute; or act in relation thereto.

Sewer Commission

ARTICLE 22. To see if the Town will vote to amend the General By-Laws, Article IV - Financial Regulation, Section 2 - Contracts Exceeding $1,000.00 by deleting the word or figure of one thousand dollars ($1,000.00) wherever the same appears in said section, and substitute the word or figure of four thousand dollars ($4,000.00); in its place; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 23. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of General Law Chapter 40, Section 4G relative to advertising municipal contracts prior to award; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 24. To see if the Town will vote to accept the following mentioned streets, as laid out by the Board of Selectmen and shown by their reports duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk:

1. Pinewood Road (1,800 feet long)

Providing all the construction of the same meets with the requirements of the Board of Selectmen, and subject to the withholding of any remaining bonds until such requirements have been met; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 25. To see if the Town will vote to accept the following mentioned streets, as laid out by the Board of Selectmen and shown by their reports duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk:

1. Apollo Drive (1,500 feet long)

Providing all the construction of the same meets with the requirements of the Board of Selectmen, and subject to the withholding of any remaining bonds until such requirements have been met; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 26. To see if the Town will vote to accept the following mentioned streets, as laid out by the Board of Selectmen and shown by their reports duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk:

1. Jean Avenue (440 feet long)

Providing all the construction of the same meets with the requirements of the Board of Selectmen, and subject to the withholding of any remaining bonds until such requirements have been met; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 27. To see if the Town will vote to transfer a certain sum of money from Line Item 139. Unemployment Benefits due State to Line Item 96. Sewer Commission Expense Account; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 28. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, transfer and appropriate from available funds, transfer and appropriate from the Stabilization Fund and or borrow a certain sum of money for the purpose of completing the construction of the Soccer Fields on Mill Road; or act in relation thereto.

Recreation Commission

ARTICLE 29. To see if the Town will vote to amend the General By-Laws, Article II Town Meeting, as follows:

a. Delete subsection 3.1 (f) Division of the Assembly of Section 3, Town Meeting Rules of Order.

b. Delete Section 6, Secret Ballots of Section 3, Town Meeting Rules of Order and insert therein in its place, the following:

"Section 6 - Secret Ballots
6.1 A motion for a secret ballot on any Article shall not be allowed."

or act in relation thereto.

Town Moderator

ARTICLE 30. To see if the Town will vote as follows:

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen of the Town of Chelmsford, Middlesex County, Commonwealth of Massachusetts:

We, the undersigned, being registered voters in and of the Town of Chelmsford, Massachusetts, pursuant to M.G.L.A. Chapter 39, Section 10, as amended and M.G.L.A. Chapter 40A, Section 5, as amended, request the insertion in the warrant for the Town Meeting to be next held, the following amendment to the Zone Map and Zoning By-Laws of the Town of Chelmsford, Massachusetts:

That the Zone Map and Zoning by-Laws be amended as follows:

"The Zoning Map and accompanying ordinance passed and as most recently amended entitled "Zoning By-Laws of the Town of Chelmsford" is hereby amended by establishing new lines and striking out the designation "Residential "B" " (RB) District, as shown on said zone map and substituting in place thereof new lines and designation "Residential Multiple Family" (RM) District, insofar as said zone map relates to the following described premises:

A certain parcel of land, situated on the southerly side of Littleton Road (Route 110), Chelmsford, Massachusetts, being shown as a parcel containing 15.1 acres on a plan of land entitled "Plan of Land in Chelmsford, Mass., surveyed for Joseph Solomont" Scale: 1"=80', Feb. 8, 1957, Dana F. Perkins & Sons, Inc., Civil Engineers & Surveyors, Reading, Mass., which plan is recorded with Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds in Book of Plans 88, Plan 176, being bounded and described as follows:

NORTHERLY by said Littleton Road (Route 110), six hundred fifty-five and 97/100 (655.97) feet;

EASTERLY by land of Theodore W. Emerson, as shown on said plan, now or formerly land of Chelmsford Elks, Inc., nine hundred forty-eight and 40/100 (948.40) feet;

SOUTHERLY by land now or formerly of Harold Becker, one hundred three and 81/100 (103.81) feet, and also by land of Arthur Burtt, as shown on said plan, now or formerly land of Charles H. Hopkins, Jr., et ux, by three courses by a stone wall, a total distance of five hundred seventy and 78/100 (570.78) feet; and

WESTERLY by land of MacCormick, as shown on said plan, now or formerly of Old Chelmsford Garrison House Association, Inc., by two courses, in part by a stone wall, a total distance of seven hundred seventy-eight and 15/100 (778.15) feet, and also by land of Stockton as shown on said plan, two hundred thirty-seven and 24/100 (237.24) feet.

or act in relation thereto.

Petition

ARTICLE 31. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, transfer and appropriate from available funds, and/or borrow a certain sum of money for the purpose of acquiring architectural designs for the renovation or expansion of existing Public Library facilities, or the construction of new Public Library Facilities; or act in relation thereto.

Library Trustees

ARTICLE 32. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, transfer and appropriate from available funds, and/or borrow a certain sum of money to renovate or expand existing Public Library facilities or to construct new Public Library facilities, and to acquire realty necessary to such work; or act in relation thereto.

Library Trustees

ARTICLE 33. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a certain sum of money for the purpose of implementing a Traffic Control Division within the Police Department; or act in relation thereto.

Police Department

ARTICLE 34. To see if the Town will vote pursuant to General Law Chapter 82, Section 21, that public convenience and necessity require that a portion of Queen Street as hereinafter described shall be discontinued and all public rights in any and all portions of said Streets, and/or Town ways relative to said street shall be henceforth discontinued and abandoned; said street is more particularly described as follows:

That portion of Queen Street described as parcel A, on a plan entitled proposed discontinuous parcel "A", Annual Town Meeting 1987, prepared by the Town Engineers Office, Town of Chelmsford, and incorporated herewith, copies of which are on file in said office.

And to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for consideration to be determined, to convey and transfer, all right, title and interest, if any, held by the Town in the above parcel of the land located on the discontinued portion of said way/road, to the abutters of said property;

or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 35. To see if the Town will vote pursuant to General Law Chapter 82, Section 21, that public convenience and necessity require that a portion of Roosevelt Street as hereinafter described shall be discontinued and all public rights in any and all portions of said Streets, and/or Town ways relative to said street shall be henceforth discontinued and abandoned; said street is more particularly described as follows:

That portion of Roosevelt Street described as parcel A, on a plan entitled proposed discontinuous parcel "A", Annual Town Meeting 1987, prepared by the Town Engineers Office, Town of Chelmsford, and incorporated herewith, copies of which are on file in said office.

And to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for consideration to be determined, to convey and transfer, all right, title and interest, if any, held by the Town in the above parcel of the land located on the discontinued portion of said way/road, to the abutters of said property;

or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 36. To see if the Town will vote pursuant to General Law Chapter 82, Section 21, that public convenience and necessity require that a portion of Richardson Road as hereinafter described shall be discontinued and all public rights in any and all portions of said Streets, and/or Town ways relative to said street shall be henceforth discontinued and abandoned; said street is more particularly described as follows:

That portion of Richardson Road extending from North Road westerly approximately 260 feet to Richardson Road.

And to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to petition the Middlesex County Commissioners to discontinue and abandon said portion of Richardson Road, as above described.

And to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for consideration to be determined, to convey and transfer, all right, title and interest, if any, held by the Town in the above parcel of the land located on the discontinued portion of said way/road, to the abutters of said property.

or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 37. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen and/or the Sewer Commissioners to acquire any and all temporary and/or permanent easements, and any property in fee simple with the buildings and trees thereon by purchase, eminent domain, or otherwise, for the property located in the Town of Chelmsford, Massachusetts, and further described and shown on a set of plans, entitled (1) Plan of Sewer Easement in Chelmsford, Massachusetts, Industrial Sewer, prepared for the Chelmsford Sewer Commission, January 1987, scale 1 inch = 40 feet, by Howe Surveying Associates, Inc., and (2) Plan of Sewer Easement, Scale 1" = 40', dated February 17, 1987, prepared for the Chelmsford Sewer Commission by Howe Surveying Associates, Inc. copies of which are on file in the office of the Town Engineer and are incorporated herewith, for the purpose of constructing and maintaining sewers, pumping stations, and all other appurtenances thereto and to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, transfer and appropriate from available funds, transfer and appropriate from the Stabilization Fund, transfer and appropriate revenue sharing funds and/or borrow a certain sum of money to defray all necessary costs, fees and expenses in connection with the acquisition of said land and for paying any damages which may be awarded as the result of any such taking; and to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen and Sewer Commission, for consideration to be determined, to convey and transfer the care, custody, management, control and all right, title, and interest in said parcels including any parcels shown on a said plan as currently owned by the Town of Chelmsford, if any, to the Chelmsford Center Industrial Sewer District; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen
Sewer Commissioners

ARTICLE 38. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, transfer and appropriate from available funds, transfer and appropriate from the Stabilization Fund and/or borrow a certain sum of money for the purchase of sand and gravel, for the purpose of maintenance of the public ways and/or streets in the Town of Chelmsford, and to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to lease pursuant to General Law Chapter 40, Section 3 any real property on which said sand and gravel exists up to a period not to exceed ten (10) years, and to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to execute all necessary and proper contracts and agreements thereto; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 39. To see if the Town will vote to rescind Article 35 of the Annual Town Meeting of 1984, passed at the session held on May 14, 1984; or act in relation thereto.

Recreation Commission

ARTICLE 40. To see if the Town will transfer and appropriate the unexpended proceeds of Article 1 of the May 16, 1983 Special Town Meeting, and raise and appropriate, transfer and appropriate from available funds, transfer and appropriate from the Stabilization Fund and/or borrow, an additional certain sum of money to engage engineers, contractors, attorneys, architects, and other necessary consultants and/or builders, for the purpose of preparing, designing and construction of a dog pound and the preparation of all necessary documentation thereto, and to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to negotiate and execute all necessary and proper contracts and agreements thereto; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 41. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for consideration to be determined, to convey and transfer all right, title, and interest, if any held by the town, in a certain parcel of land on Shore Drive, shown as Lot 28, Blk 16, Assessors' Plat 45 being the premises taken by the Town of Chelmsford by an instrument of taking, dated June 10, 1975 and recorded in Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds in Book 2153, Page 301; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 42. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for consideration to be determined, to convey and transfer all right, title, and interest, if any held by the town, in certain parcels of land on Mallory Street, shown as Lots 20 and 21, Blk 16 on Assessors' Plat 45; Lot 21 being the premises described by an instrument, dated January 31, 1957 and recorded in Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds in Book 1362, Page 378, and Lot 22 being the premises described in an instrument dated May 31, 1966 and recorded in the Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds in Book 1856, Page 383; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 43. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for consideration to be determined, to convey and transfer all right, title, and interest, if any held by the town, in a certain parcel of land on Billerica Road, shown as Lots 39A and 42B, Blk 36 on Assessors' Plat 129 and being the premises taken by the Town of Chelmsford by an instrument of taking, dated June 15, 1984 and recorded in Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds in Book 2854, Page 194; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 44. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for consideration to be determined, to convey and transfer all right, title, and interest, if any held by the town, in a certain parcel of land on Fifth Avenue, shown as Lot 58, Blk 22 on Assessors' Plat 66 and being the premises taken by the Town of Chelmsford by an instrument of taking, dated June 10, 1975 and recorded in Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds in Book 2153, Page 302; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 45. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for consideration to be determined, with said consideration being set by bid or auction of said property hereinafter described to convey and transfer all right, title, and interest, if any held by the town, in a certain parcel of land on North Road, shown as Lot 43, Blk 10 on Assessors' Plat 20 and being the premises taken by the Town of Chelmsford by an instrument of taking, dated December 23, 1985 and recorded in Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds in Book 3322, Page 164; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 46. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for consideration to be determined, to convey and transfer all right, title, and interest, if any held by the town, in the following parcels of land located in the Crystal Lake Area of the Town of Chelmsford, shown as the following lots:

Plat 62, Lot 13 containing approximately 4,020 square feet
Plat 62, Lot 15 containing approximately 3,340 square feet
Plat 62, Lot 16 containing approximately 6,400 square feet
Plat 63, Lot 1 containing approximately 3,200 square feet
Plat 63, Lot 2 containing approximately 3,702 square feet
Plat 65, Lot 1 containing approximately 1,510 square feet
Plat 65, Lot 5 containing approximately 3,200 square feet
Plat 65, Lot 10 containing approximately 3,200 square feet
Plat 66, Lot 49 containing approximately 3,240 square feet
Plat 66, Lot 62 containing approximately 3,240 square feet
Plat 66, Lot 63 containing approximately 4,860 square feet
Plat 66, Lot 66 containing approximately 3,240 square feet
Plat 66, Lot 68 containing approximately 3,240 square feet
Plat 67, Lot 12 containing approximately 4,860 square feet
Plat 67, Lot 23 containing approximately 1,650 square feet
Plat 67, Lot 24 containing approximately 1,650 square feet
Plat 67, Lot 31 containing approximately 3,300 square feet
Plat 67, Lot 32 containing approximately 6,600 square feet
Plat 67, Lot 57 containing approximately 3,300 square feet
Plat 67, Lot 58 containing approximately 1,650 square feet
Plat 67, Lot 60 containing approximately 3,300 square feet
Plat 67, Lot 68 containing approximately 3,300 square feet
Plat 67, Lot 69 containing approximately 1,650 square feet

or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 47. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to acquire any and all temporary and/or permanent easements, and any property in fee simple with the buildings and trees thereon by purchase, eminent domain, or otherwise, for the property located in the Town of Chelmsford, Massachusetts, and further described and shown as Plat 66, Lot 81 containing approximately 22,446 square feet, and Plat 64, Lot 12, containing approximately 2.52 acres, for the purpose of maintaining conservation and open space land within the Town of Chelmsford and to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, transfer and appropriate from available funds, transfer and appropriate from the Stabilization Fund, transfer and appropriate revenue sharing funds and/or borrow a certain sum of money to defray all necessary costs, fees and expenses in connection with the acquisition of said land and for paying any damages which may be awarded as the result of any such taking; and to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to negotiate and execute all necessary and proper contracts and agreements thereto; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 48. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Board of Assessors to issue a certain amount of money from Free Cash in the Treasury for the reduction of the tax rate; or act in relation thereto.

Finance Committee

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant with your doings at the time and place of said meeting. Given unto our hands this 23rd day of March, A.D. 1987.

John P. Emerson

John P. Emerson, Chairman

Dennis J. Ready

Dennis J. Ready, Vice Chairman

Bonita A. Towle, Clerk

Roger A. Blomgren

Roger A. Blomgren, Member

Henrick R. Johnson

Henrick R. Johnson, Member

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

MIDDLESEX, SS. MARCH 24, 1987

Pursuant to the within Warrant, I have notified and warned the Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford by posting up attested copies of same at the following places, to wit: The New Town Office Building Gym; Harrington Elementary School Gymnasium; Harrington Elementary School Gymnasium; Westland School Cafeteria; Byam School Cafeteria; Westland School Cafeteria; Harrington Elementary School Gymnasium; McCarthy Middle School, Small Gymnasium; South Row School Cafeteria; South Row School Cafeteria; Westlands School Cafeteria; McCarthy Middle School, Small Gymnasium seven days at least before the time appointed for holding the meeting aforesaid.

William E. Spence
Constable of Chelmsford

A True Copy Attest, William E. Spence
William E. Spence, Constable of Chelmsford

WARRANT FOR SPECIAL TOWN MEETING
MAY 11, 1987
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

MIDDLESEX, SS.

To the Constable, or any other suitable person of the Town of Chelmsford:

In the name of the Commonwealth, aforesaid, you are hereby requested to notify and warn the legal voters of said Chelmsford to meet in the McCarthy Middle School Gymnasium on Monday, evening, the 11th day of May, 1987, at 8:00 p.m., then and there to act upon the following Articles, Viz:

ARTICLE 1. To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate from available funds, transfer and appropriate from the Stabilization Fund and/or borrow a certain sum of money to complete the design and construction of Southwell Field, as authorized by Article 36 of the Annual Town Meeting of 1984; or act in relation thereto.

Recreation Commission

ARTICLE 2. To see of the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate from available funds the sum of $13,900 to the School Department Salary Account to fund negotiated wage and salary increases; or act in relation thereto.

School Committee

ARTICLE 3. To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate from available funds a certain sum of money to the appropriate salary line items to fund approved wage and salary increases and expense allocations in departmental account to be recommended by the Board of Selectmen at the Special Town Meeting; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 4. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Chelmsford Zoning By-Law by deleting the present Aquifer Protection Areas Map and substituting the redrafted Map proposed by the Planning Board, as filed with the Town Clerk, and displayed at the Special Town Meeting; or act in relation thereto.

Planning Board

ARTICLE 5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to petition the Great and General Court to enact Legislation in the following form or in such other form as the General Court may deem appropriate for the purposes specified in this Article:

An Act providing Exemption to the Town of Chelmsford pursuant to General Law, Chapter 31.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court Assembly and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1. The Town of Chelmsford as a result of a technical error in the certification process but having met all the substantive hiring and testing requirements of the Department of Personnel Administration, shall be exempted from the requirements of General Law, Chapter 31 relative to the certification and appointment of the following full-time police officers retroactive to the date of permanent full-time appointments.

NAME	EFFECTIVE DATE OF APPOINTMENT
Peter C. McGeown	July 7, 1983
James F. Murphy	July 8, 1983
Brian F. Mullen	July 10, 1983
Paul E. Cooper	July 11, 1983
Paul Richardson	April 1, 1985
Francis Teehan	April 2, 1985
Alan Cote	April 3, 1985
Scott Ubele	April 4, 1985
Martin Krikorian	April 6, 1985
Debra Metcalf	April 7, 1985
Gail Mullen	April 8, 1985

or act in relation thereto.

Police Department
Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 6. To see if the Town will vote pursuant to General Law Chapter 82, Section 21, that public convenience and necessity require that a portion of Gail Street as hereinafter described shall be discontinued and all public rights in any and all portions of said Streets, and/or Town ways relative to said street shall be henceforth discontinued and abandoned; said street is more particularly described as follows:

That portion of Gail Street described as parcel A, on a plan entitled proposed discontinuous parcel "A", Special Town Meeting 1987, prepared by the Town Engineers Office, Town of Chelmsford, and incorporated herewith, copies of which are on file in said office.

And to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for consideration to be determined, to convey and transfer, all right, title and interest, if any, held by the Town in the above parcel of the land located on the discontinued portion of said way/road, to the abutters of said property;

or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 7. To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate from available funds, transfer and appropriate from the Stabilization Fund, transfer and appropriate revenue sharing funds and/or borrow a certain sum of money for the purpose of the design and reconstruction of Fairbanks Street, providing all the construction of the same meets with the requirements of the Board of Selectmen, and to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to negotiate and execute all necessary and proper contracts and agreements hereto; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 8. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law of the Town of Chelmsford, as follows:

1. Amend Article IV. Special Regulations, subsection 4820. Aquifer Protection District, by adding the following language at the end of the first paragraph of said subsection:

> Also included are areas within 100 feet of the centerline of any stream which flows into the A.P.D.

2. Amend Article IV. Special Regulations, subsection 4831 (f), by deleting said subsection in its entirety, and substituting the following in its place:

> f. Solid wastedisposal or sewage treatment facilities unless tertiary (denitrification) treatment is used.

3. Amend Article IV. Special Regulation subsection 4832(c) by deleting said subsection in its entirety and substituting the following in its place:

C. Any use except for single-family residential with an estimated sewage disposal greater than 10 gallons of sewage per day 1,000 square feet of lot area, based on Title V of the State Environmental Code, 310 CMR 15.00. Lot areain this case shall exclude flood plain and/or wetlands.

4. Amend Article IV. Special Regulation subsection 4832 (d) by deleting said subsection in its entirety and substituting the following in its place:

D. Any use which renders impervious more than 50 percent of the lot area. Lot area in this case shall exclude floodplain and/or wetlands.

ARTICLE 9. To see if the Town will vote to amend its Traffic Rules and Orders, by deleting Section 27. All Night Parking Prohibited, and substituting the following in its place:

Section 27. Parking Prohibited: Snow Emergency

1. The Board of Selectmen shall have the authority to declare a snow emergency.

2. Upon the declaration of a snow emergency it shall be unlawful to park any vehicle upon any street, and all such vehicles shall forthwith be removed;

Or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 10. To see if the Town will vote to direct the Board of Selectmen to petition the Great and General Court of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to enact Special Legislation authorizing a contract or establishing a Conservation Recreation District, between the Town of Chelmsford and the Town of Carlisle, for the operation administration, and maintenance of the property known as the Lowell Cranberry Bog in the Towns of Chelmsford and Carlisle said bill, when approved by the Legislation and signed into Law by the Governor to be approved in its final form by the voters at an Annual or Special Town Meeting in order for it to be implemented, or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 11. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of General Law Chapter 59 Section 5, 17(c), relative to the exemption of certain real estate from taxation; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 12. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of General Law Chapter 59 Section 5, 17 (d), relative to the exemption of certain real estate from taxation; said acceptance to be effective for fiscal year ; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 13. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of General Law Chapter 59 Section 5, 41(b), relative to the exemption of certain real estate from taxation; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 14. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of General Law Chapter 59 Section 5, 41 (c), relative to the exemption of certain real estate from taxation; said acceptance to be effective for fiscal year ; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 15. To see if the Town will vote to transfer a certain sum of money from Line Item 139. Unemployment Benefits due State to Line Item 96. Sewer Commission Expense Account; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant with your doings at the time and place of said meeting. Given unto our hands this 24th day of April, A.D. 1987.

Roger A. Blomgren, Chairman

Henrick R. Johnson, Vice Chairman

Bonita A. Towle, Clerk

Dennis J. Ready, Member

John P. Emerson, Jr., Member

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

MIDDLESEX, SS. APRIL 27, 1987

Pursuant to the within Warrant, I have notified and warned the Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford by posting up attested copies of same at the following places, to wit: The New Town Office Building Gym; Harrington Elementary School Gymnasium; Harrington Elementary School Gymnasium; Westland School Cafeteria; Byam School Cafeteria; Westland School Cafeteria; Harrington Elementary School Gymnasium; McCarthy Middle School, Small Gymnasium; South Row School Cafeteria; South Row School Cafeteria; Westlands School Cafeteria; McCarthy Middle School, Small Gymnasium fourteen days at least before the time appointed for holding the meeting aforesaid.

William E. Spence
Constable of Chelmsford

A True Copy Attest, William E. Spence
William E. Spence, Constable of Chelmsford

TOWN OF BOXFORD

APRIL 7, 1987

*indicates Candidate for re-election

	Pct 1	Pct 2	Pct 3	Pct 4	Pct 5	Pct 6	Pct 7	Pct 8	Pct 9	Pct 10	Pct 11	Pct 12	TOTAL
MODERATOR 3 yrs													
Dennis E. McHugh*	381	238	437	137	343	306	244	268	293	338	241	349	3575
Blanks	61	56	95	19	77	66	35	53	52	112	50	92	768
TOTAL	442	294	532	156	420	372	279	321	345	450	291	441	4343
TOWN CLERK 3 yrs													
Mary E. St.Hilaire*	382	241	445	135	350	322	253	272	285	341	254	366	3646
Blanks	60	53	87	21	70	50	26	49	60	109	37	75	697
TOTAL	442	294	532	156	420	372	279	321	345	450	291	441	4343
SELECTMAN 3 yrs													
Roger A. Blomgren*	231	153	350	117	241	217	184	195	158	247	171	255	2519
William R.Logan	204	129	170	36	169	148	93	123	180	190	115	178	1735
Blanks	7	12	12	3	10	7	2	3	7	13	5	8	89
TOTAL	442	294	532	156	420	372	279	321	345	450	291	441	4343
TREASURER & TAX COLLECTOR 3 yrs													
James R. Doukszewicz*	363	239	430	133	331	307	250	258	276	334	247	346	3514
Blanks	79	55	102	23	89	65	29	63	69	116	44	95	829
TOTAL	442	294	532	156	420	372	279	321	345	450	291	441	4343
ASSESSOR 3 yrs													
Diane M. Phillips	352	222	406	122	328	288	232	245	260	302	225	329	3311
Blanks	90	72	126	34	92	84	47	76	85	148	66	112	1032
TOTAL	442	294	532	156	420	372	279	321	345	450	291	441	4343
BOARD OF HEALTH 3 yrs													
Scott Prescott	171	107	198	61	156	125	100	117	169	195	97	178	1674
Mark W. Gauthier	239	155	263	84	213	207	160	164	150	207	170	222	2234
Blanks	32	32	71	11	51	40	19	40	26	48	24	41	435
TOTAL	442	294	532	156	420	372	279	321	345	450	291	441	4343
SCHOOL COMMITTEE 3 yrs (2)													
Samuel Poulten*	203	134	249	77	197	186	138	156	166	203	175	209	2093
Jeffrey W. Stallard	141	123	169	42	120	110	109	80	109	145	70	139	1357
Carol W. Merriam	301	170	376	93	281	222	172	224	204	289	178	308	2818
Blanks	239	161	270	100	242	226	139	182	211	263	159	226	2418
TOTAL	884	588	1064	312	840	744	558	642	690	900	582	882	8686

*indicates Candidate for re-election

	Pct 1	Pct 2	Pct 3	Pct 4	Pct 5	Pct 6	Pct 7	Pct 8	Pct 9	Pct 10	Pct 11	Pct 12	TOTAL
LIBRARY TRUSTEE 3 yrs (2)													
D. Lorraine Lambert*	284	222	399	106	285	234	212	222	226	254	211	295	2950
Elizabeth A. McCarthy*	319	160	341	99	277	244	178	222	216	275	207	304	2842
Blanks	281	206	324	107	278	266	168	198	248	371	164	283	2894
TOTAL	884	588	1064	312	840	744	558	642	690	900	582	882	8686
PARK COMMISSIONER 3 yrs													
Mary P. Bennett*	337	223	391	115	295	268	220	236	238	283	215	303	3124
Blanks	105	71	141	41	125	104	59	85	107	167	76	138	1219
TOTAL	442	294	532	156	420	372	279	321	345	450	291	441	4343
CEMETERY COMMISSIONER 3 yrs													
Charles L. McEnnis	140	103	127	60	110	110	69	90	100	138	85	117	1249
Charlotte P. DeWolf*	262	157	327	78	239	201	181	186	166	225	176	263	2461
Blanks	40	34	78	18	71	61	29	45	79	87	30	61	633
TOTAL	442	294	532	156	420	372	279	321	345	450	291	441	4343
HOUSING AUTHORITY 5 yrs													
Lynn M. Marcella	206	144	273	90	209	190	126	180	165	221	126	236	2166
Claude A. Harvey*	204	123	190	56	165	136	134	111	138	170	144	163	1734
Blanks	32	27	69	10	46	46	19	30	42	59	21	42	443
TOTAL	442	294	532	156	420	372	279	321	345	450	291	441	4343
PLANNING BOARD 3 yrs (2)													
Eugene E. Gilet*	321	204	368	83	287	256	212	221	231	258	216	322	2979
Thomas E. Firth Jr.*	289	171	309	114	254	216	180	196	194	231	184	246	2584
Blanks	274	213	387	115	299	272	166	225	265	411	182	314	3123
TOTAL	884	588	1064	312	840	744	558	642	690	900	582	882	8686
PLANNING BOARD 1yr													
Kim J. MacKenzie	325	207	378	119	292	273	218	227	238	265	220	300	3062
Blanks	117	87	154	37	128	99	61	94	107	185	71	141	1281
TOTAL	442	294	532	156	420	372	279	321	345	450	291	441	4343
SEWER COMMISSIONER 3 yrs													
Jean R. Organ*	325	210	378	107	296	261	215	228	245	271	219	300	3055
All Others	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2
Blanks	117	84	153	49	124	111	64	93	100	178	72	141	1286
TOTAL	442	294	532	156	420	372	279	321	345	450	291	441	4343
TREE WARDEN 3 yrs													
Frank Wojtas *	357	226	411	131	309	284	234	249	267	310	236	331	3345
Blanks	85	68	121	25	111	88	45	72	78	140	55	110	998
TOTAL	442	294	532	156	420	372	279	321	345	450	291	441	4343

	Pct 1	Pct 2	Pct 3	Pct 4	Pct 5	Pct 6	Pct 7	Pct 8	Pct 9	Pct 10	Pct 11	Pct 12	TOTAL
QUESTION 1													
Yes	260	202	349	85	235	232	191	195	210	258	183	262	2662
No	161	80	167	59	164	115	77	111	118	168	95	165	1480
Blanks	21	12	16	12	21	25	11	15	17	24	13	14	201
TOTAL	442	294	532	156	420	372	279	321	345	450	291	441	4343
QUESTION 2													
Yes	300	209	337	70	245	224	177	214	213	274	165	277	2705
No	114	71	170	69	143	112	83	86	108	150	103	144	1353
Blanks	28	14	25	17	32	36	19	21	24	26	23	20	285
TOTAL	442	294	532	156	420	372	279	321	345	450	291	441	4343

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING
APRIL 27, 1987

The Annual Town Meeting was called to order at 7:40 PM by the Moderator Dennis McHugh who recognized the presence of a quorum. There were 588 voters present at the McCarthy Middle School Gymnasium.

The Moderator explained the Town Meeting rules and regulations.

Selectman Blomgren moved that the reading of the Constable's return of service and the posting of the warrant be waived. It was so voted, unanimously. Selectman Blomgren the moved that the reading of the entire warrant be waived. It was so voted, unanimously.

Elizabeth Marshall of the Finance Committee moved to recess the Annual Town Meeting at 7:50 PM in order to conduct a Public Budget Hearing of Federal Revenue Sharing Funds. Motion carried, unanimusly.

Elizabth Marshall discussed the Federal Revenue Sharing. The sum of $60,000.00 will be available for use in fiscal year 1987-1988, and be allocated as follows: Fire Department Salaries $30,000.00, Police Department $30,000.00. These amounts will be reflected in the department's budgets. The Moderator asked for any discussion or questions, hearing none, Elizabeth Marshall moved to have the Town Meeting Body accept for approval the Federal Revenue Sharing Funds amounts as presented. Motion carried, unanimously.

The Moderator reconvened the Annual Town Meeting at 7:55 PM. He explained to the Town Meeting Body that the Executive Secretary to the Board of Selectmen was not a resident of the Town of Chelmsford,nor a registered voter. The Moderator asked permission from the Town Meeting Body to allow Bernard Lynch to address the voters during the Town Meeting. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 1 Selectman Roger Blomgren moved that the Town vote to hear reports of the Town Officers and Committees.

The Moderator asked if there were any nominations for the Varney Playground Commission. Selectman John Emerson moved to nominate Harry Ayotte for a three year term. The Moderator asked for any more nominations from the floor, hearing none, the Moderatior declared that nominations were closed. A voice vote was taken on the nomination of Harry Ayotte as member to the Varney Playground, motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 2 Alan Murphy of the Personnel Board explained the article. The positions of Town Clerk, Town Treasurer/Collector, and Assessors, were only being added to the Personnel Board By-law for compensation purposes only. These positions are not appointed, they are elected for three year terms at the Annual Town Election. Alan Murphy moved to amend the article by deleting under Administrative and clerical section, line 15. Admin. Assistant to the Planning Board from the article at the Planning Board's request. A discussion followed concerning the section called Other Positions, where line items 12-16 were questioned. Alan Murphy explained that these were positions that had been funded in the past with state or federal monies. At different times the Town began paying these positions by Town Meeting vote, therefore the postions fell under the jurisdation of the Personnel Board. More discussion followed. The Moderator asked for the Finance Committee's recommendation concerning the article. The Finance Committee supported the motion and the amendment. The Moderator asked for a voice vote on the motion to delete line 15 Under the Administrative and Clerical section. Motion carried, unanimously. More

discussion took place. The Moderator asked for a voice vote on the motion as amended, motion carried. The article reads as follows:

Alan Murphy moved that the Town vote to amend the Personnel Wage and Salary By-Law to be effective July 1, 1987 as follows:

1. Under Section 4, "Scope of the Plan and Authority of the Personnel Board", amend Subsection (B) by deleting the first paragraph and substituting the following:

(B) Those filled by popular elections; with the exception of Assessors, Town Clerk, and Treasurer/Tax Collector, who shall come under this By-Law for compensation purposes only, subject to ratification by an annual vote of the town at an Annual Town Meeting as required in Section 108 of Chapter 41. The Personnel Board may continue to render recommendations relative to compensation for other elective positions.

2. Under Section 6, "Classification of Town Employees", amend Subsection (E) - "Wage and Salary Schedule" by deleting the existing schedule and substituting the following:

E. WAGE AND SALARY SCHEDULE
JULY 1, 1987 - JUNE 30, 1988

GRADE LEVEL	SALARY RANGE
1A	12,788 - 15,921
1B	14,455 - 17,997
1C	16,123 - 20,073
1D	19,459 - 24,226
2	24,463 - 30,456
3	32,803 - 40,840
4	37,808 - 47,071
5	42,814 - 53,303

3. Under Section 24 subtitled "Job Titles and Standard Rates of Wages and Salaries of the Personnel Wage and Salary By-Law", by adding the following positions:

Administrative and clerical

16. Town Clerk
17. Town Treasurer/Collector
18. Assessors

Library

9. Maintenance Specialist

Town Police Department

4. Trainee

Other Positions

12. Assistant Town Engineer
13. Respite Care Program Director
14. Home Delivered Meals Coordinator
15. Superintendent of Buildings
16. Senior Citizens Activities Coordinator

4. Add a new Section 29 subtitled POLICE TRAINEE and include the following:

(A) The definition of "police trainee" is any person appointed as a regular police officer after January 1, 1987, during the period of time that such person is attending a police academy or other training facility authorized by the Chief of Police.

(B) Police trainee shall not be paid overtime and shall not be entitled to any other benefits under this By-Law.

(C) For purposes of benefits upon graduation from a police academy and future employment with the Chelmsford Police Department, the date of the first day of the academy, or the first day of actual work for the police department after appointment and before the start of an academy, whichever come first, shall be considered their date of employment.

(D) Any police trainee that fails to successfully complete the authorized police academy shall have no further rights under this By-Law, and may be dismissed by the police department under existing state laws.

5. Amend under section 24 subtitled "Job Titles and Standard Rates of Wages and Salaries of the Personal Wage and Salary By-Law", by deleting the position of 4. Town Aide, under the category of Administrative and Clerical, and add in the following position in its place: Adminstrative and Clerical 4. Council of Aging Director.

6. Amend under section 24 subtitled "Job Titles and Standard Rates of Wages and Salaries of the Personal Wage and Salary By-Law", by deleting the position of 4. Mechanic (Fire & Police), under the category of Town Fire Department, and adding the following position in its place: 4. Truck Mechanic (Fire & Police).

7. Amend under section 24 subtitled "Job Titles and Standard Rates of Wages and Salaries of the Personal Wage and Salary By-Law", by adding the position of 5. Auto Mechanic (Fire & Police), under the category of Town Fire Department.

UNDER ARTICLE 2A Alan Murphy explained the article and moved to amend it by deleting Line #15 under Administrative & Clerical Section, Admin. Assistant to the Planning Board. The Finance Committee was in favor of the motion and the amendment. The Moderator asked for a voice vote on the motion to amend, motion carried unanimously. A discussion took place questions were asked about the positions. The Moderator asked for a voice vote on the motion as amended, motion carried, unanimously. The article reads as follows:

Alan Murphy moved that the Town vote to amend the Personnel Wage and Salary By-Law by further amending Section 24, "Job Titles and Standard Rates or Wages and Salaraies of the Personnel Wage and Salary By-Law", to conform to rates of pay negotiated by the Town with certain labor organizations, pursuant to General Laws Chapter 150E, and to reflect current Salaries and grade levels under the Personnel By-Law as follows:

	7/86 - 7/87		7/87-6/88	
ADMINISTRATIVE & CLERICAL	Current Level	Current Salary	Proposed Level	Proposed Salary
1. Executive Secretary	4		5	
2. Town Accountant	3		3	
3. Veteran's Agent	2		2	
4. Council of Aging Director	-		2	
5. Assistant to Assessors	1D		1D	
6. Assistant Town Clerk	1D		2	
7. Assistant Treasurer	1D		2	
8. Clerk, Senior	1C		1C	
9. Clerk, Junior	1A		1C	
10. Clerk, Part-Time	1A		1A	
11. Town Counsel		$500 P.A.		$500 P.A.
12. Board of Reg., Three Members		$360 EA.		$500 EA.
13. Assistant Town Accountant	1D		2	
14. Admin. Assistant to the Executive Secretary	1D		1D	
16. Town Clerk	-		3	
17. Town Treasurer/Collector	-		3	
18. Assessor	-		3	
CONSERVATION, PARKS & CEMETERY				
1. Cemetery Superintendent	2		2	
2. Supt. of Inspect and Pest Control		$1,250 P.A.		$1,250 P.A.
3. Landscaper - Park	1A		1A	
4. Laborer - Park	1A		1A	
5. Unskilled Laborer	#2, #3		#2, #3	
6. Skilled Forest Workman - Conservation	1A		1A	
7. Equipment Operator	1C		1C	
8. Park Superintendent	2		2	
CUSTODIAL				
1. Custodian	1B		1B	
LIBRARY				
1. Library Director	3		3	
2. Library Department Head	1D		1D	
3. Library Specialists	1C		1C	
4. Library Assistant	1B		1B	
5. Library Clerk	1A		1A	
6. Maintenance Assistant	1B		1B	
7. Page	#2, #3		#2, #3	
8. Library Assistant Director			2	
9. Maintenance Specialist	-		1C	

	7/86 - 7/87		7/87-6/88	
	Current Level	Current Salary	Proposed Level	Proposed Salary
HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT				
1. Highway Superintendent	3		3	
2. Highway Foreman	2		2	
TOWN FIRE DEPARTMENT				
1. Fire Chief	#2		#2	
2. Deputy Fire Chief	#2		4	
3. Captain	#2		#2	
4. Truck Mechanic (Fire and Police)	-		2	
5. Auto Mechanic (Fire and Police)	-		1D	
TOWN POLICE DEPARTMENT				
1. Police Chief	5		5	
2. Deputy Chief	4		4	
3. Captain	3		3	
4. Trainee	-		$359.50 per week	
RECREATION				
1. Director/Youth Center Coordinator	2		2	
2. Clerk, Part-time	1A		1A	
3. Waterfront Director	1A		1A	
4. Swimming Instructor	1A		1A	
5. Lifeguard	1A		1A	
6. Playground Supervisor	1B		1B	
7. Recreation Specialist	1A		1A	
8. Recreation Leader	1A		1A	
9. Youth Center Supervisor	1C		1C	
10. Youth Center Leaders	1A		1A	
OTHER POSITION				
1. Building Inspector	3		3	
2. Electric Inspector	2		2	
3. Local Inspector	2		2	
4. Gas Inspector	#2	$8,500 P.A.	#2	$8,500 P.A.
5. Dog Officer	1C		1D	
6. Assistant Dog Officer	1A		1A	
7. Van Driver	1B		1B	
8. Sealer of Weights & Measures	#2	$2,000 P.A.	#2	$2,000 P.A.
9. Animal Inspector	#2	$1,000 P.A.	#2	$1,000 P.A.
10. Clock Winder	#2	$ 200 P.A.	#2	$ 200 P.A.
11. Town Engineer	3		3	
12. Assistant Town Engineer	-		2	
13. Respite Core Program Director	-		1D	
14. Home Delivered Meals Coordinator	-		1A	
15. Superintendent of Buildings	-		1D	
16. Senior Citizens Activities Coordinator	-		1B	

FOOTNOTES

#1 - Represented by Collective Bargaining
#2 - Not in "Job Rating Plan"
#3 - $3.75/Hr. first year, $4.25/Hr. second year, $4.75/Hr. third year

UNDER ARTICLE 3 Selectman Blomgren explained to the Town Meeting Body that due to certain union contract negotiations being completed (the Highway Department and Cemetery Department and the Town Hall Clerical Unions) the salary line items under certain departments were reflecting the increases negotiated. He also presented a list of the benefits that were negotiated, uniform allowances, increase in vacation time, increase in holiday time off, and funeral leave. Elizabeth Marshall of the Finance Committee recommended the increases. She said that once the voters approved the percentage requested by the other unions, and Personnel Board, it wouldn't be fair not support the increases asked by the Clerical Union. A professional negotiator was used from start to finish during the contract discussions and the Board of Selectmen explained everything to the Finance Committee's satisfaction. And that the Board of Selectmen recognized the value of having the various contracts terminated at the same time. We should expect and insist that the next round of negotiations should be based on the cost of living increases or changes and available funds,rather then on what the last union got.

The Moderator explained that the budget is set up in the warrant books by individual departments and that is the way they will be addressed for discussion purposes. He will read the name of the department, the total department request, in some circumstances he'll break it done to show the funding arrangements, any questions and discussion will be done at that time, then the Moderator will go on and read the next department's information. No individual department vote will take place. The final vote will be take at the conclusion of article three, where the total amount that must be raised and appropriated will be stated and voted on.

Michael Enwright moved to take the School Department's budget out of order. The Finance Committee was against the motion. The Moderator asked for a voice vote, motion defeated.

Elizabeth Marshall explained the Finance Committee's position on the departmental budgets. The Town had $35,639,484.00 in available funds. She said that if the departmental budgets including the adjustments made under the salaries due to union contract settlements as presented passes, with the recommended figure of $35,129,920.00, along with all of the proposed warrant articles including the Special Town Meeting scheduled for May 11th passes, would total of $488,927.00, it would leave a total of $20,637.00 in free cash.

The Moderator read the Selectmen's Department budget and then the Accounting Department's where a discussion took place concerning the increase of salaries and the percentage given. It was explained that due to the contract negotiations and the Personnel Board's recommendation there will be an increase in certain salary line items. Under the Treasurer/Collector's Department the Treasurer explained the salary increase in his budget. He said that certain positions in his department were increased more than 7%. He stated that he also cut his salary account by dropping his money requested for seasonal help. Which meant that the staff would pick up compensation time by working extra hours required to prepare the tax bills for mailing. As of July 1st his office will be closed on Wednesdays to the public and that is when the staff will be expected to use their earned time off, and there will be no more Monday evening hours during the months of September thru May. The Moderator continued to read from the Assessor's budget to the Finance Committee's budget. He then explained his own budget. There is an increase of $75.00, this was due to the need for an expense account. When positions become available on the Finanace Committee and the Personnel Board he want to advertise openings. Also at certain times of the year there are opportunities to attend

seminars concerning Town Meeting rules of order and he wanted to be able to do so. The Moderator continued to read from the Town Clerk's Department to the Highway and asked if there was any discussion concerning the department. Under Highway Department, a question was asked concerning the snow and ice line item. It was explained that whatever amount was listed had to be the same amount each year, this was a state law. This is the only account that the Town is allowed to spend over the amount appropriated and be able to transfer monies into without Town Meeting action. He then read from the Street Lighting Department to the Sewer Commission, where a question was asked concerning the professional fees. It was explained that the consulting fees and legal fees were paid from this account. He then read from the Waste Collection Department to the Cemetery Department.

Under the School Department Budget the following discussion took place. Nicholas Gavriel Chairman of the School Committee, explained that the figure of $19,932,504.00 which appeared in the warrant book, was not the figure that the School Committee wanted. The Committee wanted the figure of $19,998,504, to be what was requested. A discussion took place, the Moderator called for a five minute recess. The meeting recessed at 9:33PM. The meeting reconvened at 9:45 PM. The Treasurer, James Doukszewicz explained that the figure of $19,433,994.00 is the figure that should be on the floor for discussion and possible amendments. Nicholas Gaviel moved to amend the School Departments's figure to be $19,908,504.00 and explained the reasoning for the requested increase. George Nelson of the Finance Committee explained why the Finance Committee recommended the figure of $19,433,994.00. A number of voters spoke in favor of the School Committee's figure. Discussion took place, Jeff Stallard moved the question to stop debate. The Moderator asked for a voice vote, motion carried, unanimously. The Moderator asked for a voice vote on the motion to amend the figure to read $19,908,504.00, motion carried. Selectman Blomgren moved to adjourn the Town Meeting until May 4th at 7:30 PM. A discussion took place. Town Moderator asked if the Town Meeting body could vote on part of the Budget tonight, and then vote the final figure at the next meeting. Town Counsel James Harrington, explained that the vote could not be divided. The choice was to either adjourn or stay and vote a final figure, the budget vote could not be divided. A number of voters spoke in favor of the motion to adjourn. They felt that the Finance Committee and the Board of Selectmen needed time to reconsider what action to take due to the increase voted under the School Budget. At this time the Town Treasurer explained what the procedure would be, if in fact a special election was needed to be called concerning overriding proposition 2 1/2. Other voters spoke against adjournment and wanted to continue and finish the budget at this session. Peter Lawler moved the question to stop debate. Motion carried, unanimously. The Moderator asked for a voice vote on the motion to adjourn, which left the chair in doubt. The following tellers came forward and a hand count was taken:

Margaret Johnson	Edward Hilliard	Scott Prescott
Jean Horgan	John Warren	Jocelyn Anthony
David Fenn	David McLachlan	Normand LeBrecque
Barbara Ward		Gustave Fallgren

The result of the hand count Yes 188 No 224, motion defeated to adjourn.

Selectman Ready moved to amend the School Budget figure to $19,433,994.00. A discussion took place. Irene Cetaruk moved the question to stop debate. A voice vote taken, motion carried, unanimously. A voice vote was taken on Selectman Ready's figure, motion defeated.

Samuel Poulten moved to approve the rest of article three as amended, a discussion took place. Edward Hilliard moved to adjourn the

Town Meeting until Monday May 4, 1987, the Finance Committee was in favor of the motion. More discussion took place. Fran McDougall moved the question to stop debate, motion carried, unanimously. A voice vote was taken on the motion to adjourn, motion defeated. The Moderator was questioned on the voice vote, he asked the Town Meeting body again on the motion to adjourn, motion defeated. The Moderator returned to Samuel Poulten's motion to approve the rest of article three as amended which includes all the salary changes proposed. The Finance Committee asked if it was proper for this procedur, that the budgets be approved with out any discussion. The Moderator explained that if that is the vote of the voters then that is the procedur they choose to abide to. Irene Cetaruk then moved the question to stop debate. F. Bailey Laughlin of the Cable Television Committee asked if this meant that if the motion passed to stop debate, then he would not be able to discuss the fact that his budget was short $400.00 and that he wanted to amend his budget to reflect the correct figure. The Moderator explained that this was so. If this motion passed then the only way Mr Laughlin could amend his budget was to reconsider article 3, or if the moving party (Samuel Poulten) would yield his motion at this time, then Mr. Laughlin could include his figure in the total. Mr. Poulten yield his motion at this time, in order to allow Mr. Laughlin's motion to be on the floor. The Moderator asked for a voice vote on the increase of $400.00 under the Cable Television Committee, motion carried. The Moderator then asked for a voice vote on the motion to moved the question. Which left the chair in doubt. The tellers came forward and a hand count was taken: Yes 315 No 44 2/3's vote required (239) motion carried. The Moderator explained that the main motion figure of article three was $35,605,030.00. Selectman Emerson moved to amend line #99 (Waste Collection) from $1,182,334.00 to $0.00. He explained that the money needed for the School Department's budget was going to have to come from somewhere and perhaps this service should be cut. The Finance Committee and the Board of Selectmen were against the motion. One voter explained that the people of Chelmsford didn't mind paying for the services they receive, that is why they moved to this town, because of the school system and services offered. After much discussion Selectmen Emerson withdrew his motion. More discussion took place. Malcolm Roberts spoke about the proceedings that have taken place through out the meeting and moved the question to stop any further debate about article three. The Moderator asked for a voice vote, which left the chair in doubt. The tellers came forward and a hand count was taken: Yes 303 No 24 2/3's required (218) the motion carried. A voice vote was taken of the main motion with the figure of $35,605,030.00, motion carried. Article three reads as follows:

DEPARTMENT LINE ITEMS	ARTICLE 3. FISCAL YEAR 1988	APPROVED APPROPRIATIONS
ELECTMENS DEPARTMENT:		
1. SALARIES		$95,842.00
2. EXPENSES		18,900
3. OUTLAY		1
4. OUT OF STATE		1,200
TOTAL SELECTMENS DEPARTMENT		115,943
ACCOUNTING DEPARTMENT:		
5. SALARIES		105,626
6. EXPENSES		9,459
7. OUTLAY		1
TOTAL ACCOUNTING DEPARTMENT		115,086
TREASURER/COLLECTOR DEPARTMENT:		
8. SALARIES		167,123
9. EXPENSE		29,300
10. OUTLAY		500
		196,923
ASSESSORS DEPARTMENT:		
11. SALARIES		141,512
12. EXPENSE		59,065
13. OUTLAY		1,100
14. LEGAL SERVICES		1,000
15. REVALUATION UPDATE		47,500
TOTAL ASSESSORS DEPARTMENT		250,177
FINANCE COMMITTEE:		
16. EXPENSE		3,000
MODERATOR:		
17. SALARY		300
18. EXPENSE		75
TOTAL MODERATOR		375
TWN CLERK DEPARTMENT:		
19. SALARIES		108,609
20. EXPENSES		6,075
21. OUT OF STTATE		800
22. OUTLAY		425
TOTAL TOWN CLERK DEPARTMENT		115,909
LAW DEPARTMENT:		
23. TOWN COUNSEL		500
24. LEGAL SERVICES		55,000
25. SPECIAL COUNSEL		15,000
26. EXPENSE		750
TOTAL LAW DEPARTMENT		71,250

E(STRARS DEPARTMENT:	
7. SALARIES	24,418
8. EXPENSE	9,240
9. OUTLAY	1
TTAL REGISTRARS DEPARTMENT	33,659
L:CTIONS:	
0. WAGES & EXPENSES	18,788
LNNING BOARD:	
1. SALARIES	18,502
2. EXPENSE	4,160
3. OUTLAY	1
TTAL PLANNING BOARD	22,663
ORD OF APPEALS:	
4. EXPENSE	6,161
ESONNEL BOARD:	
5. EXPENSE	650
ITORICAL COMMISSION:	
6. EXPENSE	1,501
ISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION:	
7. EXPENSE	1,000
SURANCE (LIABILITY):	
8. EXPENSE	678,146
BLIC BUILLDINGS:	
39. SUPT OF BUILDINGS	20,412
40. SALARIES	62,358
41. EXPENSE	64,304
42. SUPERVISION FEE	2,000
43. OUTLAY	3,000
OTAL PUBLIC BUILDINGS	152,074
WN & FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORTS:	
44. EXPENSE	6,000
NSTABLE:	
45. SALARY	500
BILE HOME RENT CONTROL BOARD:	
46. EXPENSE	500

POLICE DEPARTMENT:	
47. SALARIES	2,291,635
48. EXPENSE	224,812
49. OUT OF STATE	1,050
50. OUTLAY	1
51. EXPENSE - AUXILIARY	3,070
52. OUTLAY - AUXILIARY	400
TOTAL POLICE DEPARTMENT	2,520,968
APPROPRIATION FORM REVENUE SHARING FOR SALARIES	30,000
NET COST POLICE DEPARTMENT	2,490,968
FIRE DEPARTMENT:	
53. SALARIES	2,440,500
54. EXPENSES	129,409
55. OUT OF STATE	1,000
56. OUTLAY	13,360
TOTAL FIRE DEPARTMENT	2,584,269
APPROPRIATION FROM REVENUE SHARING FOR SALARIES	30,000
	2,554,269
DOG OFFICER:	
57. SALARIES	28,243
58. EXPENSES	2,000
59. POUND RENTAL	6,000
60. CARE OF LIVE ANIMALS	1,800
TOTAL DOG OFFICER	38,043
EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY:	
61. EXPENSE	2,190
62. OUTLAY	1,101
TOTAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY	3,291
INSPECTION DEPARTMENT:	
63. SALARIES	172,702
64. EXPENSES	16,226
65. OUT OF STATE	500
66. OUTLAY	1
TOTAL INSPECTION DEPARTMENT	189,429
SEALER OF WEIGHTS & MEASURES:	
67. SALARY	2,100
68. EXPENSE	300
TOTAL SEALER OF WEIGHTS & MEASURES	2,400

NERVATION COMMISSION:	
6. SALARY	6,242
7. EXPENSE	7,400
AL CONSERVATION COMMISSION	13,642
DANT SERVICE:	
7. CENTER	54,700
7. NORTH	19,300
7. EAST	7,000
7. SOUTH	0
AL HYDRANT SERVICE	81,000
WARDEN DEPARTMENT:	
7. SALARY	1,000
7. EXPENSE	13,875
7. OUTLAY	1
AL TREE WARDEN DEPARTMENT	14,876
CT PEST CONTROL:	
3. SALARY	1,250
9. EXPENSE	10,800
AL INSECT PEST CONTROL	12,050
FFIC & SAFETY COMMITTEE:	
0. EXPENSE	90,000
HWAY DEPARTMENT:	
1. SALARIES	628,023
2. EXPENSES	464,994
3. SNOW & ICE	270,000
	1,363,017
EET LIGHTING:	
4. EXPENSE	168,000
N ENGINEERING:	
5. SALARIES	78,287
6. EXPENSE	9,385
7. OUTLAY	2,000
8. OUT OF STATE	1
TAL TOWN ENGINEERING	89,673

ATH DEPARTMENT:		
8. SALARIES		118,525
9. EXPENSES		32,225
9. OUTLAY		1
9. OUT OF STATE		1
9. MOSQUITO CONTROL		10,000
OTAL HEALTH DEPARTMENT		160,752
WER COMMISSION:		
9. SALARIES		60,731
9. EXPENSES		20,500
9. PROFESSIONAL FEES		55,000
9. OUTLAY		1
9. OUT OF STATE		5,000
OTAL SEWER COMMISSION		141,232
SE COLLECTION:		
9. EXPENSE		1,182,334
IAL INSPECTORS DEPARTMENT:		
0. SALARY		1,000
0. EXPENSE		400
OTAL ANIMAL INSPECTORS DEPARTMENT		1,400
WELL MENTAL HEALTH:		
0. EXPENSE		9,000
METERY DEPARTMENT:		
0. SALARIES		140,401
0. EXPENSES		24,588
0. OUT OF STATE		500
0. OUTLAY		3,094
OTAL CEMETERY DEPARTMENT		168,583
HOOL DEPARTMENT:		
GROSS OPERATING BUDGET		19,998,504
MINUS TUITIONS	70,000	
MINUS PL874	20,000	90,000
5A NET TOTAL COST SCHOOL DEPARTMENT		19,908,504
HOBA VALLEY TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOL:		
7. ASSSESSMENT		637,520

RY DEPARTMENT:	
SALARIES	450,675
EXPENSES	79,262
BOOKS & PERIODICALS	112,550
OUTLAY	1
OUT OF STATE	1
AL LIBRARY DEPARTMENT	642,489
DEPARTMENT:	
SALARIES	40,919
EXPENSES	6,700
OUTLAY	1
AL PARK DEPARTMENT	47,620
EATION COMMISSION:	
SALARIES	41,533
EXPENSES	25,842
OUTLAY	1
AL RECREATION COMMISSION	67,376
EY PLAYGROUND:	
. LABOR - PART TIME	3,150
. EXPENSE	1,999
. OUTLAY	1
	5,150
RDS MEMORIAL BEACH:	
. EXPENSE	700
CIL ON AGING/TOWN AIDE:	
. SALARIES	84,556
. EXPENSES	22,750
. OUTLAY	0
	107,306
RIAL DAY COMMITTEE:	
. EXPENSE	1,000
CELEBRATION COMMITTEE:	
. EXPENSE	2,900
CLOCK:	
. EXPENSE	600
R SERVICES OF MERRIMACK VALLEY:	
. EXPENSE	1,800

AY DECORATING COMMITTEE:	
EXPENSE	750
FORD COMM ON HANDICAPPED:	
EXPENSE	100
ANS BENEFITS DEPARTMENT:	
SALARIES	51,088
EXPENSES	4,300
OUTLAY	100
CASH & MATERIAL GRANTS	53,000
L VETERANS BENEFITS DEPARTMENT	108,488
Y RETIREMENT ASSESSMENT:	
EXPENSE	995,000
ANS PENSION CLAIMS:	
EXPENSE	6,375
ARE TAX (FICA):	
EXPENSE	7,500
ANCE (LIFE & MEDICAL):	
EXPENSE	1,040,525
LOYMENT BENEFITS DUE STATE:	
EXPENSE	40,000
SSIFIED:	
TELEVISION COMMITTEE:	
EXPENSE	3,500
RAL COUNCIL:	
EXPENSE	100
AL BILLS RETIRED POLICE & FIRE:	
EXPENSE	10,000
ASSESSMENT:	
EXPENSE	9,000
E MUTUAL AIDE-LEAA:	
EXPENSE	2,000
PROCESSING:	
EXPENSE	7,404

ND INTEREST:	
PRINCIPAL	962,150
INTEREST	424,909
L DEBT AND INTEREST	1,387,059
GROSS OPERATING BUDGET	35,665,030
LESS TRANSFERS:	
REVENUE SHARING	60,000
RAISE AND APPROPRIATE	35,605,030

The Moderator moved to adjourn the meeting until Monday May 4th, 987 at 7:30 PM at the McCarthy Middle School Gymnasium.

ennis McHugh,
oderator

Mary E. St.Hilaire,
Town Clerk

ADJOURNED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING
May 4th, 1987

The Adjourned Annual Town Meeting was called to order at 7:48 PM by the Moderator Dennis McHugh, who recognized the presence of a quorum. There were 332 voters present at the McCarthy Middle School Gymnasium.

The Moderator acknowledged the presence of the students who were viewing the Town Meeting process as a result of Student Government week at the High School.

The Moderator explained that the Executive Secretary to the Board of Selectmen was not a town resident and asked the Town Meeting Body to allow Bernard Lynch to speak from time to time. Motion carried, unanimously.

Selectman Roger Blomgren, addressed the Town Meeting body. The Town would be $150,000.00 in debt if all the warrant articles passed, by raising and appropriating the required sums. He explained that the Board of Selectmen, School Committee and the Finance Committee met and discussed the warrant articles. Certain articles were agreed upon being dismissed, others would be funded by transfering from the stablization fund, and monies left over from previous years warrant articles. In September after the free cash and tax rate are certified, if additional monies are needed, then further action would be taken at that time. He asked the Town Meeting body to support the Selectmen and Finance Committee and School Committee with these decisions on the articles. He stressed that all departments and the citizens of the Town must make the right choices for future spending.

UNDER ARTICLE 4 Town Treasurer James Doukszewicz, moved that the Town vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Board of Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning July 1, 1987, in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 4, and to issue a note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 17 and 17 (a).

James Doukszewicz explained the article. The Finance Committee and the Board of Selectmen recommended the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 5 Town Treasurer James Doukszewicz, moved that the Town vote to transfer and appropriate the sum of seventeen thousand seven hundred dollars ($17,700), from Article 6, of December 1, 1976, and transfer and appropriate the sum of four thousand eight hundred dollars ($4,800.00) from Article 22, of November 19, 1984 to engage a private accounting firm to prepare an audit of all accounts in all departments in the Town of Chelmsford.

James Doukszewicz explained the article. The Finance committee and the Board of Selectmen supported the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 6 Elizabeth Marshall, Chairman of the Finance Committee, moved that the Town vote to transfer and appropriate the sum of eleven thousand two hundred dollars ($11,200.00) from Article 22, of the November 19, 1984 Special Town Meeting, and transfer and

ppropriate the sum of one hundred two thousand nine hundred eventy-three dollars ($102,973.00) from additional fiscal 1987 local id funds to be used as a Reserve Fund at the discretion of the Finance ommittee, as provided in General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 6.

Elizabeth Marshall said that the Finance Committee recommended the rticle. She explained that this was going to be an expermental xperience. The total amount is about 1/3 of the amount that the inance Committee usually has in the reserve fund, which is used for ransfers throughout the year. The Board of Selectmen recommended the rticle. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 7 Selectman Blomgren moved to dismiss this article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 8 Cemetery Commissioner, Everett Olsen, moved that he Town vote to transfer the sum of twenty thousand dollars ($20,000.00) from the sale of graves and lots to the Cemetery mprovement and Development Fund.

Frank Peterson, Cemetery Superintendent, explained that this is a housekeeping article that must be done yearly. The Selectman and the Finance Committee recommended the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 9 Selectman Roger Blomgren moved that the town vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for consideration to be determined, to convey and transfer, an easement, as shown as 20 foot wide emergency vehicle access easement on a plan, of land entitled "Plan of Ascess Easement for the Town of Chelmsford", prepared by Fleming, Bienvenu and Associates, Inc., dated November 1, 1985 said plan being on file with the Town Engineer and incorportated herewith, and I move that the Town vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to acquire, in fee simple and/or easement, by purchase, by eminent domain or otherwise an emergency vehicular easement from Wellman Avenue, over a private way known as Duke of Gloucester Street, to said above 20 foot wide emergency vehicle access easement, for the purpose of securing emergency access to Williamsburg Condominium, and I move that the Town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of one dollar ($1.00) to defray all necessary costs, fees and expenses in connnection with the acquisition of said land and for paying any damages which may be awarded as the result of any such taking; and further to authorize the Board of Selectmen to negotiate and execute all necessary and proper contracts and agreements thereto.

Executive Secretary, Bernard Lynch explained the article. This is to allow only emergency vehicles access to the Williamsburg Condominiums, which is required by town by- Law, and to allow access to the Southwell fields for emergency use only. Presently the only access is off of Wotton Street, and emergency vehicles could be blocked off unintentionally. The Finance Committee recommended the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 10 Selectman Roger Blomgren moved to dismiss this article. The Finance Committee recommended dismissal. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 11 Selectman Roger Blomgren moved that the town vote to accept Locust Street as laid out by the Board of Selectmen and show by their reports and plans duly filed in the office of the Town clerk, and to transfer and appropriate from the Stabilization Funds, the sum of sixty thousand dollars ($60,000.00) for the purpose of reconstructing Locust Street, providing all the construction of the same meets with the requirements of the Board of Selectmen, and subject to the withholding of any remaining bonds until such requirements have

een met.

Selectman Blogmren explained the article. The Finance Committee ecommended the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 12 Town Treasurer James Doukszewicz, moved that the own vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, to enter into compensating alance agreements, during fiscal 1988, as permitted by General Laws hapter 41, Section 53F.

The Town Treasurer explained the article. The Finance Committee ecommended the article. Edward Hilliard spoke against the article. A iscussion took place. The Moderator asked for any further discussion, earing none he asked for a voice vote, which left the Chair in doubt. e asked for a show of hands, motion carried.

UNDER ARTICLE 13 Chairman of the Planning Board, John McCarthy, oved that the Town vote to amend the Town of Chelmsford Zoning By-law y deleting the present zoning map and substituting the redrafted map roposed by the Planning Board, as filed with the Town Clerk, and isplayed at the Annual Town Meeting.

Town Counsel, James Harrington moved to amend the proposed zoning ap by deleting the following portion from the proposed Adult ntertainment District (CX) at the Swain Road Landfill:

tarting at a point located 660 feet southwest of the southwest corner f the town Salt shed Building;
outheasterly by land of G. Abrahamson,200 feet;
ortheasterly by land of Smith 30 feet;
orthwesterly by land of Sugden,44 feet;
ortherly by land of Sugden, 80 feet,
ortheasterly by land of Sugden 110 feet;
esterly through land of the Town of Chelmsford 175 feet;
ontaining approximately 0.33 feet acres of land

he deleted section shall become part of the Single Residence RB istrict.

Kim MacKenzie Member of the Planning Board, read the Planning oard's recommendation:
he Planning Board held a Public Hearing on April 29, 1987 and voted nanimously (7-0) in favor of the proposed map changes. they also oted in favor (7-0) of the recommended amendment to the map.

The Moderator asked if there was any need for further discussion f the motion to amend? Hearing none, he asked for a voice vote on the otion to amend, motion carried, unanimously.

Town Counsel James Harrington explained the changes that are being submitted on the map. One concerns an area on Riverneck Road, in the Clarke Road-Mommouth Road neighborhood. Presently it appears as being in the IA district, it should be RB. This was a clerical error. Another change was an area on Tyngsboro Road. On both sides of Tyngsboro Road from Wellman Avenue to where the Cedar House Variety Store is located, presently it appears as being RM and it should be CB. Then further down Tyngsboro Road on the left side just after Cross Street, a auto body shop is presently appearing as RM and it should be listed at CB. These are all clerical errors. On Concord Road a shopping area is presently listed as CA and it should be CB. This is also a clerical error. Town Counsel stressed that these are not new changes, all these areas mentioned appeared exactly as indicated on the old zoning map before the master plan was passed.

A discussion took place, questions were asked about the changes.

ne resident asked if another area could be re-zoned at this time. own Counsel explained that it was not possible at this time, because a ublic hearing had to be held prior to the Town Meeting vote. The oderator asked if there was any further discussion? Hearing none, he sked for a voice vote, on the main motion as amended, motion carried, nanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 14 Chairman of the Capital Planning Committee, James oukszewicz, moved that the town vote to transfer and appropriate from he Stabilization Fund the sum of $65.000.00 for the purchase of five 5) Police Cruisers and authorize the disposal of five (5) obsolete ehicles.

James Doukszewicz explained the article. The Finance Committee ecommended the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 15 Chairman of the Capital Planning Committee, James oukszewicz, moved to amend the article by adding under item 4, the ord "stairs" after the wording of excess road. And under item 5, the ording "and Mill Road Soccer Fields" on the end of the sentence.

James Doukszewicz explained the different amendments. He said hat the Town Office Building needed stairs from the lower parking lot o the main parking lot. The soccer field at Mill Road needs the opsoil distributed on the field. The Finance Committee recommended he motions to amend. The Moderator asked if there was any need for or further discussion, hearing none, he asked for a voice vote on the otion to amend line number 4., motion carried, unanimously. He then sked for a voice vote on the motion to amend line #5., motion carried, nanimously. A discussion took place, questions were asked concerning he stairs at the Town Office Building and the Fire alarm system at the igh School. The Moderator asked if there was a need for further iscussion, hearing none he asked for a voice vote on the main motion s amended, motion carried, unanimously. The Article reads as follows:

Chairman of the Capital Planning Committee, James Doukszewicz, oved that the Town vote to transfer and appropriate the sum of 261,800.00 from the unexpended proceeds of the amount authorized for apital planning projects expenditures under Article 43, Annual Town eeting 1984, for the following purpose:

. Roof and Structural repairs to Adams and McKay Libraries and Carriage House Building	55,000
. Roof Coating work at McCarthy School (Needed o maintain guarantee)	17,000
. Roof work at Town Offices Building	31,800
. Construction of access road and Stairs from upper evel parking lot to lower level at Town Offices uilding	25,000
. Recreation: field work at East School, South Row chool and McFarlin and Mill Road Soccer Fields	28,000
. Recreation: Basketball Court repairs South Row	5,000
. Replace fire alarm system at High School	100,000
TOTAL	261,800

UNDER ARTICLE 16 Chairman of the Capital Planning Committee James oukzewicz, moved that the Town vote to authorize the transfer and

propriation of funds previously authorized for expenditure under
rticle 13, Annual town Meeting 1986 as follows:

1. Increase amount authorized for purchase of Cemetery
epartment 3/4 ton pick up truck from $12,000 to 17,000 5,000

2. Increase amount authorized for the purchase of Police
epartment stainless steel toilets (6) from $6,000 to 6.,500 500

3. Decrease amount authorized for Building Inspection
urchase of microfilm reader/printer from $13,000 to 7,500 5,500

ames Doukzewicz explained the article. The Finance Committee
ecommended the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 17 Chairman of the Capital Planning Committee, James oukszewicz, moved that the Town vote to appropriate the sum of 2,115,981 for the following capital projects:

1. Cemetery Department- Dump Truck 4 wheel drive - one ton	26,000
2. Park Department- 18 HP tractor with 50" mower and grass collection unit	8,000
3. Highway Department- Two (2) Stainless Steel Sanders	22,000
4. Highway Department- Two (2) Cab & Chassis for Sanders	62,000
5. Highway Department- Road Resurfacing Funds	462,100
6. Highway Department- One Diesel Dump Truck	49,000
7. Highway Department- One Vacuum Street Sweeper	72,000
8. Highway Department- One Self Propelled-Diesel-Asphalt Paver with Trade-in of present paver	26,500
9. Highway Department- One New Car/Truck for Superintendent	11,000
10. Library- Eight (8) Pac terminals/ eight (8) ports	50,000
11. Fire Department- New Car for Chief	13,000
12. Fire Department- Mini-Pumper/Brusher Truck	95,000
13. Fire Department- Engine 02 - Retrofit	60,000
14. Fire Department- Engine 04 & 05 improvements	170,000
15. Fire Department- Engine 02 floor rehab work	100,000
16. Fire Department- Engine 01 office rehab work	22,000
17. Fire Department- 2,000 ft. large diameter hose	40,000
18. Fire Department- Ladder work (new specs)	10,000
19. Assessors Department- Data Processing Hardware and Software & Accessories	65,000
20. Police Department- Radar units replaced	6,000
21. Police Department- Parking Lot Extension	25,000
22. Police Department- Office area construction in rear garage area	25,000
23. School- Replacement of student furniture	37,500
24. School- 3/4 Ton pickup truck with snow blade	17,000
25. School- Tractor with mower, snowblade, tractor cab, wheel weights and tire chains	14,000

26. School- terminals replaced (Administrative)	33,236
27. School- Audio/Visual Equipment	16,075
28. School- Television Equipment	19,070
29. School- McCarthy telephone system replaced	10,000
30. School- McCarthy refurbish student lockers	44,000
31. School- McCarthy refurbish auditorium seats	25,000
32. School- McCarthy painting corridors, cafeteria auditorium, and fifteen classrooms	40,000
33. School- McCarthy replacement of floor tile in front foyer, upper level, and in all four stairwells	10,000
34. School- McCarthy auditorium lights & PA systems replaced	9,000
35. School- McCarthy lockers installed in boys locker room	25,000
36. School- McCarthy caulking of windows	33,000
37. School- High School bleachers in gym replaced	75,000
38. School- High School boys locker room work completed	72,000
39. School- High School painting	10,000
40. School- Library renovations	58,000
41. School- Alumni Field projects/rest room facilities and refreshment stand/plumbing work	20,500
42. School- Storage shed 40'X80' metal	128,000
	2,115,981

and move that the Town vote to borrow the sum of the sum of $2,115,981.00 to fund these obligations, with the approval of the Selectmen, pursuant to General Laws Chapter 44, Section 07.

ames Doukszewicz explained the article. A discussion took place. he Finance Committee recommendedthe article. The Moderator asked if here was any need for further debate, hearing none he asked for a oice vote, motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 18 Nicholas Gavriel,of the School Committee, moved to ismiss the article. The Finance Committee recommended dismissal. otion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 19 Samuel Poulten, of the School Committee, moved to ismiss the article. The Finance Committee recommended dismissal. lotion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 20 Selectman Roger Blomgren, moved that the Town ote to accept the following mentioned streets, as laid out by the oard of Selectmen and shown by their reports duly filed in the office f the Town Clerk:

1. Wedgewood Drive (2,240 feet long)
2. Shandel Drive (960 feet long)
3. Warwick Drive (1,520 feet long)

roviding all the construction of the same meets with the requirements f the Board of Selectmen, and subject to the withholding of any emaining bonds until such requirements have been met.

The Board of Selectmen and the Finance Committee recommended the rticle. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 21 John Emerson Jr. of the Sewer Commission, moved hat the town vote to borrow the sum of ($7,100,000.00) as the local hare of the cost for the purpose of design and construction of sewers, ump stations, and force mains to serve Chelmsford Center, Study Areas 8, 32, and 33 as described in the 1986 "Amended Facility Plan for astewater Management," Bridge Street, Chelmsford High School, arrington School, Parker School and residential units on Richardson oad, Prescott Drive, Edgelawn Avenue and Marose Avenue; and for elated legal, administrative and other pertinent expenses; to uthorize the Sewer Commission with the consent of the Board of electmen or Town Meeting, to acquire by purchase, eminent domain or therwise all easements and rights concerning land necessary in onjunction with the project to determine how any such appropriation hall be raised, whether by transfer from available funds, by axation, by borrowing or otherwise, and if by borrowing, the Town reasurer with the approval of the Board of Selectmen be authorized to orrow under G.L. chapter 44, as amended and supplemented, and to issue nd sell general obligation bonds or notes of the Town therefore; that he Sewer Commission be authroized to apply for, accept and expend any tate and federal grants and local monies that may be available for the roject; that betterments shall be assessed based on sewer units in onjunction with the sewer construction, in accordance with the pplicable provisions of the General Laws of the Commonwealth, The unding of this article has been approved by the Town of Chelmsford ursuant to an exemption from the Proposition 2 1/2 limitations at the ocal elections of April 7, 1987.

John Emerson explained the article. He said that the Engineering irm of Weston and Sampson was present to answer any questions. Some ques ions were asked by the town Meeting Body. The Finance Committee upported the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 22 Selectman Roger Blomgren, moved that the town ote to amend the General by-Laws, Article IV - Financial Regulation, ection 2 - Contracts Exceeding $1,000.00 by deleting the word or igure of "one thousand dollars ($1,000.00)", wherever the same appears n said section, and substitute the word or figure of "four thousand ollars ($4,000.00)", in its place.

Selectman Blomgren explained that the state law reflects the igure of $4,000.00 and that the Town By-law should coincide with the tate law. The Finance Committee recommends the article. Motion arried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 23 Selectman Roger Blomgren, moved that the Town ote to accept the provisions of General Law Chapter 40, Section 4G elative to advertising municipal contracts prior to award.

The Finance Committee recommend the article. Motion carried,

nanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 24 Selectman Roger Blomgren moved that the Town vote o accept the following mentioned street as laid out by the Board of electmen and shown by their reports duly filed in the office of the own Clerk:

. Pinewood Road (1,800 feet long)

roviding all the construction of the same meets with the requirements f the Board of Selectmen, and subject to the withholding of any emaining bonds until such requirements have been met.

The Board of Selectmen and the Finance Committee recommended the rticle. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 25 Selectman Roger Blomgren moved that the Town vote o accept the following mentioned street, as laid out by the Board of electmen and shown by their reports duly filed in the office of the own Clerk:

. Apollo Drive (1,500 feet long)

roviding all the construction of the same meets with the requirements f the Board of Selectmen, and subject to the withholding of any emaining bonds until such requirements have been met.

The Board of Selectmen and the Finance Committee recommend the rticle. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 26 Selectman Roger moved that the Town vote to ccept the following mentioned street, as laid out be the Board of electmen and shown by their reports duly filed in the office of the own Clerk:

. Jean Avenue (440 feet Long)

roviding all the construction of the same meets with the requirements f the Board of Selectmen, and subject to the withholding of any emaining bonds until such requirements have been meet.

The Board of Selectmen and the Finance Committee recommended the rticle. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 27 Selectman Roger Blomgren, moved to dismiss this rticle.

The Board of Selectmen and the Finance Committee supported the ismissal. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 28 Robert Charpentier of the Recreation Commission, oved to dismiss this article.

The Board of Selectman and the Finance Committee supported the otion. Motion carried, unanimously.

The Moderator made a point of order. Due to the following article eing submitted by him, he moved to step down as Moderator for the ext article. He asked Town Counsel James Harrington to step forward nd be the Acting Moderator. Town Clerk Mary St. Hilaire, swore in ames Harrington as Acting Moderator.

UNDER ARTICLE 29 Dennis McHugh moved to amend the article by hanging the wording of 6.1 to read as follows:

"A Motion on any article shall be voted upon by secret ballot if wo thirds of those present and voting so vote."

Dennis McHugh explained the purpose of the motion to amend. he Finance Committee was against the amendment. The Board of electmen support the amendment. Edward Hilliard spoke against the mendment. He moved to amend the amendment by deleting section b. in ts entirety. More discussion followed. Selectman Ready spoke in favor f the motion to amend. Edward Hilliard withdrew his motion to amend at his time. The Acting Moderator James Harrington, asked for a voice ote on Dennis McHugh's motion to amend, motion defeated. Edward illiard moved to amend the article by deleting section b. in its ntirety. Dennis McHugh said he supported the motion to amend, as did he Board of Selectmen and the Finance Committee. The Acting Moderator sked for a voice vote on the motion to amend, motion carried. He then sked for a voice vote on the main motion as amended, motion carried. he article reads as follows:

Dennis McHugh Town Moderator, moved that the Town vote to amend he General By-Laws, Article II Town Meeting, as follows:

. Delete subsection 3.1 (f) Division of the Assembly of Section 3, Town Meeting Rules of Order.

Dennis McHugh resumed his position of Town Moderator and the eeting continued.

UNDER ARTICLE 30 Gary Marchand the petitioner of this article, sked permission for his Attorney Howard Hall who was not a resident, o explain the article. Motion carried.

Attorney Hall explained that this article was defeated at the pecial Town Meeting of December 8, 1986. However the Planning Board llowed it to come back before the required two year wait, because the oard felt that a substantial change had been made. Attorney Hall xplained that the original plan called for 180 units, and it would now ave 97 units, plus one less street. A presentation was given showing he land and style of the condominiums. A discussion followed. Thomas irth of the Planning Board, read the Board's recommendation. " The lanning Board held a public hearing on April 15, 1987, and voted in avor (6-0) for the proposed zoning change. The Planning Board dditionally voted in favor (6-0) to allow the petitioner to place this oning article on the floor of the Town Meeting prior to the expiration f 2 years." A number of voters spoke in favor and against the motion. dward McKeon, an abutter spoke in favor. David McLaughlin, an abutter poke against. Al Carpenter came forward and asked permission from the oderator to speak to the Town Meeting Body. He explained that he was o longer a resident of the town, and the land in question was his. he Moderator asked for a voice vote, motion carried, unanimously. Al arpenter explained that presently the site has the Chelmsford Drive-in n it. He felt that the Town would benefit more tax wise and the butters would have less aggravation from noise and trash. The rive-in business is not the same in the 80's as it was in the 60's. he movies do not necessarily draw the right clientele. It is mostly ttracted to teenagers and problems with alcohol and drugs is very pparent at the end of a night. He sited traffic problems before and fter the drive-in opens and closes. He asked the Town Meeting body to upport the article, he felt that the Condominiums proposed would be etter use of the land, than any other type of buildings. A question as raised concerning pollution of the Beaver Brook. James McBride of he Conservation Commission spoke in favor, he said that the contractor resented drainage plans etc. that would not effect the Beaver Brook hat flows behind the site. Barry Balan moved the question to stop

ebate. The Moderator asked if there was any need for further debate? earing none he asked for a voice vote, motion carried, unanimously. e then asked for a voice vote on the article, which left the chair in oubt, the following tellers came forward and a hand count was taken:

andra Kilburn	David McLachlan	Gustave Fallgren
ohn Warren	Jean Horgan	Edward Hilliard
uth Delaney	Jocelyn Anthony	Carol Stark

esult of the hand count: Yes 161 no 105 2/3's needed (177) motion efeated. (see warrant for wording of article)

Selectman Blomgren moved to adjourn the meeting until Monday vening May 11, 1987, at 7:30 PM at the McCarthy Middle School Gym. otion carried, unanimously.

The meeting adjourned at 11:00 PM.

ennis McHugh,
oderator

Mary E. St.Hilaire,
Town Clerk

ADJOURNED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING
May 11th, 1987

The Adjourned Annual Town Meeting was called to order at 7:40 PM t the McCarthy Middle School Gymnasium. The Moderator Dennis McHugh, ecognized the presence of a quorum.

Before taking any action under the articles, the Moderator wanted he Town Meeting Body to acknowledge the presence of two groups of tudents.

The first group were student representatives from the South Row nd Byam School of the Chelmsford Chapter of the "Just Say No To rugs", which started in March of 1986. The objectives of the club is o sharpen children's awareness of drugs and alcohol. Present a upportive peer group and a source of support and positive peer einforcement. The Moderator then read a proclamation from the Board f Selectmen who proclaimed the week of May 11th thru May 15th as "Just ay no to Drugs Week".

The second group were Chelmsford High School students who had articipated in the May 8th Student Government Day activities, at the igh School. The students held an election and ran for office. After he election, various offices were filled by appointment by the student oard of Selectmen. The Moderator read the names of the Students and he office (s) that they are filling:

ELECTMEN:	SCHOOL COMMITTEE:	BD. OF HEALTH:
eg Dufour	Peter Hocknell	Kerri Noonan
ichael Kuchler	Julie MacPhee	Jennifer Howard
ricia Olenchak	Scott Nussbum	Danielle Lacroix
atthew Pitta	Dawn Wholey	
	Stacey Hallal	
OARD OF ASSESSORS:	PLANNING BOARD:	HOUSING AUTHORITY:
osh Sano	Gregg Silver	Diane Olney
lizabeth Rainge	Michelle Koczoka	Bryan Dolan
	Vin Signorello	
INANCE COMMITTEE:	SEWER COMMISSIONER:	LIBRARY TRUSTEE:
erry Hughes	David Rauktys	Sonal Shah
hris Cocchiaro	Keith Marshall	
hristel Marchand		
OWN CLERK:	POLICE CHIEF:	ASS'T POLICE CHIEF
ichael Metheny	Shawn Deveau	Debbie Bearor
IRE CHIEF:	ASS'T FIRE CHIEF:	SUPER. OF STREETS:
llison Aronie	Jackie Harris	Damon Thomas
EMETERY SUPERINTENDENT:	SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHS	ASS'T SUPT.SCHOOLS
eidi White	Hilary Weisman	David Hedison
UILDING INSPECTOR:	EXECUTIVE SECRETARY:	TOWN AIDE:
on Desfosse	Jill MacPhee	Heidi Wheeler
ETERAN'S AGENT	TOWN ENGINEER:	SUPT. OF PUBLIC BLDGS
ric Turner	Bill Donovan	Lauren Thomas
TATE REPRESENTATIVE	TREASURER & TAX COLLECTOR	STATE SENATOR
ary Dukakis	Elisa Simonian	Jan Andrusaites

The Moderator congratulated all the students and thanked them for ttending the Town Meeting.

The Moderator then asked the Town Meeting body to grant permission or the Executive Secretary Bernard Lynch, who was not a resident, to e able to speak from time to time. Motion carried, unanimously.

The Moderator then announced that two members of the Finance ommittee, Elizabeth Marshall and George Nelson were resigning from the oard at the conclusion of this Town Meeting. He thanked them for all heir time and effort, and asked Selectmen Blomgren to come forward. electman Blomgren presented to Elizabeth Marshall and George Nelson ach a certificate of appreciation from the Board of Selectmen.

UNDER ARTICLE 31 Susan Cantin, Library Trustee, moved to dismiss his article.

Susan Cantin explained why the article was being dismissed at this ime. The Finance Committee supported the motion to dimiss. Motion arried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 32 Susan Cantin, Library Trustee, moved to dismiss his article.

The Finance Committee recommended the dismissal. Motion carried, nanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 33 Selectman Roger Blomgren, moved to dismiss this rticle.

The Finance Committee recommended the dismissal. Motion carried, nanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 34 A discussion took place concerning this article. he Finance Committee recommended that this land be sold. The Board of electmen supported the article. However they asked for the petitioner o come forward and explain the purpose of why they wanted the land. he Moderator asked for a voice vote on the article, which left the hair in doubt. Selectman Blomgren explained that past policy has been hat the petitioner must be present, due to the fact that the etitioner was not present, then the Board could not support the rticle. The Moderator asked for a show of hands, motion defeated. (see arrant for wording of article.)

UNDER ARTICLE 35 Selectman Roger Blomgren, moved that the Town ote to pursuant ot General Law Chapter 82, Section 21, that public onvenience and necessity require that a portion of Roosevelt Street as ereinafter described shall be discontinued and all public rights in ny and all portions of said streets, and/or town ways relative to said treet shall be henceforth discontinued and abandoned; said street is ore particularly described as follows:

hat portion of Roosevelt Street describes as parcel A, on a plan entitles proposed discontinuous parcel "A:, Annual Town Meeting 1987, prepared by the Town Engineers Office, Town of Chelmsford, and incorporated herewith, copies of which are on file in said office.

nd I moved that the Town vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for consideration to be determined, to convey and transfer, all right, title and interest, if any, held by the town in the above parcel of the land located on the discontinued portion of said way/road, to the abuttters of said property.

John Abbott, an abutter to the property explained why he wanted

ne land. The Board of Selectmen and the Finance Committee recommended ne article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 36 A discussion took place concerning this article. ne Finance Committee recommended that this land be sold. Because the etitioner was not present to explain why he/she wanted the land, the oard of Selectmen did not recommend the article. Motion defeated by oice vote.(see warrant for original wording of article)

UNDER ARTICLE 37 John Emerson, Sewer Commissioner, moved that the own vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen and/or the Sewer ommissioners to acquire any and all temporary and/or permanent asements, and any property in fee simple with the buildings and trees hereon by purchase, eminent domain, or otherwise, for the property ocated in the Town of Chelmsford, Massachusetts, and further described nd shown on a set of plans, entitled (1) Plan of Sewer Easement in helmsford, Massachusetts, Industrial Sewer, prepared for the helmsford Sewer Commission, January 1987, scale 1 inch = 40 feet, by owe Surveying Associates, Inc., and (2) Plan of Sewer Easement, scale " = 40', dated February 17, 1987, prepared for the Chelmsford Sewer ommission by Howe Surveying Associates, Inc. copies of which are on ile in the office of the Town Engineer and are incorporated herewith, or the purpose of constructing and maintaining sewers, pumping tations, and all other appurtenances thereto said funds requried to efray all necessary costs, fees and expenses in connection with the cquisition of said land and for paying any damages which may be warded as the result of any such taking to be expended from the sale f bonds and/or notes authorized from Article 31 of the Annual Town eeting of 1984; and I move that the town vote to authorize the Board f Selectman and Sewer Commission, for consideration to be determined, o convey and transfer the care, custody, management, control of said asements including any parcels shown on a said plan as currently owned y the Town of Chelmsford, if any, to the Chelmsford Center Industrial ewer District.

ewer Commissioner, John Emerson explained the article. The Finance ommittee recommended the article.

UNDER ARTICLE 38 Selectman Roger Blomgren, moved to dismiss this rticle.

The Finance Committee was in favor of dismissal. Motion carried.

he Moderator moved to adjourned the Annual Town Meeting at this time n order to conduct a Special Town Meeting. Motion Carried, nanimously. The Meeting adjourned at 8:03 PM.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING
MAY 11th,1987

The Special Town Meeting was called to order at 8:05 PM at the cCarthy Middle School Gymnasium, by the Moderator Dennis McHugh who ecognized the presence of a quorum.

Selectman Roger Blomgren moved that the reading of the Constable's eturn of service and the posting of the warrant be waived. It was so oted, unanimously. Selectman Blomgren then moved that the reading of he entire warrant be waived. It was so voted, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 1 Robert Charpentier, of the Recreation ommission, moved that this article be dismissed.

The Finance Committee recommended the dismissal. Motion carried, nanimsouly.

UNDER ARTICLE 2 Nicholas Gaviel, of the School Committee, moved hat this article be dismissed.

The Finance Committee recommended the dismissal. Motion carried, nanimsouly.

UNDER ARTICLE 3 Selectman Roger Blomgren, moved that the town vote o transfer the sum of seventeen thousand five hundred dollars $17,500.00) from Article 9 of the December 8, 1986 Special Town eeting and transfer the sum of nineteen thousand nine hundred ighty-two dollars (19,982.00) from Line Item #139. Unemployment enefits, to the following Salary Line Items and Expense Line Items in he indicated specific amounts to fund approved wage and salary ncreases and expense allocations in the following departmental ccounts:

INE TEM	DEPARTMENT	
1.	Accounting - Salaries	2,405.
6.	Board of Appeals - Expense	240.
7.	Assessors - Salaries	3,358.
2.	Cemetery - Salaries	658.
6.	Conservation Commission - Salaries	361.
2.	Fire - Salaries	1,823.
6.	Health - Salaries	1,387.
1.	Inspection - Salaries	2,267.
2.	Police - Salaries	5,142.
8.	Public Buildings - Salaries	3,432.
2.	Recreation Commission - Salaries	461.
5	Registrars - Salaries	1,525.
5.	Sewer Commission - Salaries	2,098.
02.	Town Clerk - Salaries	2,404.
05.	Town Engineer - Salaries	198.
09.	Treasurer/Collector - Salaries	8,336.
18.	Veterans Benefits - Salaries	1,387.
	TOTAL	37,482.

UNDING:

RANSFER FROM:

RTICLE 9. Audit Appropriation Special Town Meeting 12--8-86	17,500.
ine Item #139 Unemployment Benefits	19,982.
TOTAL	37,482

electman Blomgren explained that the union negotiations with the Town all Clerical Staff had been finialized and these were the recommended ncreases. The Board of Selectmen and the Finance Committee supported he article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 4 John McCarthy, of the Planning Board, moved to ismiss this article.

Kim McKensie of the Planning Board, read the Board's ecommendation: The Planning Board held a Public hearing on April 27, 987 and voted (6-1) to withdraw the amended aquifer protection map. im McKensie explained why the article was being withdrawn at this ime. Scott Prescott spoke against the motion to dismiss. The oderator asked for a voice vote, which left the chair in doubt. He sked for a show of hands. Motion carried to dismiss.

UNDER ARTICLE 5 Selectman Roger Blomgren moved that the Town vote o authorize the board of Selectmen to petition the Great and General ourt to enact Legislation in the following form or in such other form s may deem appropriate for the purposes specified in this Article:

n Act providing Exemption to the Town of Chelmsford pursuant to eneral Law, Chapter 31.

e it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General ourt Assembly and by the authority of the same, as follows:

. The Town of Chelmsford as a result of a technical error in the ertification process but having met all the substantive hiring and esting requirements of the Department of Personnel Administration, hall be exempted from the requirements of General Law, Chapter 31 elative to the certification and appointment of the following ull-time police officers retroactive to the date of permanent ull-time appointments.

AME	EFFECTIVE DATE OF APPOINTMENT
eter C. McGeown	July 7, 1983
ames F. Murphy	July 8, 1983
rian F. Mullen	July 10, 1983
aul E. Cooper	July 11, 1983
aul Richardson	April 1, 1985
rancis Teehan	April 2, 1985
lan Cote	April 3, 1985
cott Ubele	April 4, 1985
artin Krikorian	April 6, 1985
ebra Metcalf	April 7, 1985
ail Mullen	April 8, 1985

ernard Lynch, Executive Secretary explained the article. The Finance ommittee recommended the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 6 Selectman Roger Blomgren, moved that the Town ote pursuant to General Law Chapter82, Section 21, that public onvenience and necessity require that a portion of Gail Street as ereinafter described shall be portions of said streets, and/or Town ays relative to said street shall be henceforth discontinued and bandoned; said street is more particulary described as follows:

hat portion of Gail Street described as parcel A. on a plan entitled roposed discontinuous parcel "A", Special Town Meeting 1987, prepared y the Town Engineers Office, Town of Chelmsford, and incorporated erewith, copies of which are on file in said office.

nd I move that the Town vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for onsideration to be determined, to convey and transfer, all right, itle and interest, if any, held by the Town in the above parcel of the land located on the discontinued portion of said way/road, to the abutters of said property;

ilt Fitzgerald an abutter to the property explained why he wanted the and. The Finance Committee recommended the article. The Board of electman recommended the article. Scott Prescott spoke against the own selling the land. He explained that if the traffic continues on irnpike Road then this piece could be used to join Jessie Road and a raffic pattern could be set up. Once given away the Town looses all ights etc. and in the future might need to purchase land. The oderator asked for a voice vote, motion carried.

UNDER ARTICLE 7 Selectman Roger Blomgren moved that the Town vote o transfer and appropriate the sum of one $1.00 from the tabilization funds for the purpose of the designing and reconstruction f Fairbanks Road. Providing all the construction of the same meets ith the requirements of the Board of Selectmen and I moved that the own vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to negotiate and execute ll necessary and proper contracts and agreements here to.

electman Blomgren explained that the figure $1.00 would keep the rticle from being dismissed. In the future once all the costs for onstruction etc. are figured, then another article will be presented o the Town Meeting body for consideration. The Finance Committee upported the article. Motion carried, unanimosly.

UNDER ARTICLE 8 John McCarthy, of the Planning Board, moved that he Town vote to dismiss this article.

im McKensie of the Planning Board read the board's recommendation: he Planning Board held a Public Hearing on April 27, 1987 and voted 6-0, with one member abstaining) to withdraw this article. cott Prescott spoke against the motion to withdraw the article. Kim cKensie explained why the Planning Board felt that the article show be ithdrawn. Due to the fact that questions were raised and couldn't be nswered at the time, it was felt that not enough information was vailable and that the article should be withdrawn. A discussion took lace. A number of voters spoke in favor of the motion to dismiss. oseph Shanahan explained that he attended the hearing and nobody from ny of the four water disticts or the Board of Health was present. ames McBride spoke in favor of dismissal, and moved the question to top debate. Motion carried, unanimously. A voice vote was taken on he article. Motion carried. (see the warrant for orginal wording)

UNDER ARTICLE 9 Selectman Roger Blomgren, moved that the Town vote o amend its Traffic Rules and Orders, by deleting Section 27. All ight Parking Prohibited, substituting the following in its place:

ection 27. Parking Prohibited: Snow Emergency

. The Board of Selectmen shall have the authority to declare a snow mergency.

. Upon the declaration of a snow emergency it shall be unlawful to ark any vehicle upon any street, and all such vehicles shall forthwith e removed.

Selectman Blomgren explained that a majority of the Board was in avor of this article. A number of voters who live in N. Chelmsford where this by-law effects the most people) spoke in favor of the rticle. They stated that they live in older homes, some that are over .00 years old, and are built close together, therefore there is no room vailable for a driveway or parking area on the property. The question as raised about emergency vehicles being able to pass on the streets. t was stated that when the Selectmen declare a snow emergency then

he residents are to moved their vehicles or will be ticketed. The inance Committee recommended the article. A discussion followed. arren Bucanan moved the question to stop debate, which left the chair n doubt, the following tellers came forward:

argaret Johnson	Jane Drury	Jean Horgan
ocelyn Anthony	John Warren	Jacob Sartz
cott Prescott		Carrie Fenn

esult of the hand count: Yes 152 No 13 (110 needed) motion carried o stop debate. A voice vote was taken on the article, motion carried.

UNDER ARTICLE 10 Selectman Roger Blomgren, moved that the Town ote to direct the Board of Selectmen to petition the Great and General ourt of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to enact Special Legislation uthorizing a contract or establishing a Conservation Recreation istrict, between the Town of Chelmsford and the Town of Carlisle, for he operation administration and maintenance of the property known as he Lowell Cranberry Bog in the Towns of Chelmsford, and Carlisle said ill, when approved by the Legislation and signed into law by the overnor to be approved in its final form by the voters at an Annual or pecial Town Meeting in order for it to be implemented.

udy Hass of the Conservation Commission and the Cranberry Bog Advisory ommittee, explained the article. The Finance Committee recommended he article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 11 Selectman Roger Blomgren explained that the Board f Selectmen cannot as a majority support this article or articles 12, 3 & 14. He explained the article and asked for support of it and rticles 13 and 14, but to vote to dismiss article 12. A discussion ollowed. A number of voters spoke for and against the articles. The inance Committee thought the articles were going to be dismissed and ere in favor of dismissal. Samuel Poulten spoke in favor of the rticle. He felt that it was time for the Town to support the senior itizens of the Town, as they have supported the children of the Town y voting the previous School Department's budget. More discussion ollowed. Peter Lawlor of the Finance Committee questioned the quorum. he tellers came forward to conduct a count, however the question was ithdrawn and no count was taken. Selectman Emerson, moved to table rticles 11,12,13 and 14. The Finance Committee was in favor of the otion. The Moderator asked for a voice vote on the motion to able the articles, which left the chair in doubt. The Moderator asked or a show of hands, motion carried.

UNDER ARTICLE 15 Selectman Roger Blomgren, moved that the Town ote to tansfer the sum of eighteen thousand dollars ($18,000.00) from ine Item 139. Unemployment Benefits due State to Line Item 96. Sewer ommission Expense Account.

Selectman Blomgren, explained the article. The Finance Committee upported the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

radford Emersom moved to remove articles 11 & 13 from the table. otion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 11 Discussion took place. James Doukszwicz, Town reasurer/Tax Collector explained the article. Assessors Diane hillips and James McBride spoke on the article. Samuel Poulton moved he question. The Moderator asked for a voice vote on the motion to top debate, motion carried. He then asked for a voice vote on the rticle, motion carried. The article reads as follows:

electman Roger Blomgren, moved that the Town vote to accept the

provisions of General Law Chapter 59 Section 5, 17(c), relative to the exemption of certain real estate from taxation.

UNDER ARTICLE 13 Selectman Roger Blomgren, moved that the Town vote to aceept the provisions of General Law Chapter 59 Section 5,41 (B), relative to the exemption of certain real estate from taxation.

The Finance Committee were in favor of the article. The Board of Selectmen were against. A discussion followed. The Moderator asked for a voice vote, motion carried.

Selectman Blomgren moved to adjourn the Special Town Meeting. Motion carried, unanimously. The meeting adjourned at 9:30 PM.

The Moderator reconvened the Annual Town Meeting at 9:30 PM.

UNDER ARTICLE 39 Robert Charpentier, of the Recreation Commission, moved that the town vote to rescind article 35 of the Annual Town Meeting of 1984, passed at the session held on May 14, 1984.

The Finance Committee supported the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 40 Selectman Roger Blomgren, moved that the Town vote to transfer and appropriate the sum of forty-one thousand five hundred ninety-seven dollars and twenty-three cents ($41,597.23) of Article 1 of the May 16, 1983 Special Town Meeting, and transfer and appropriate, and additional fifty-five thousand dollars ($55,000.00) from the Stabilization Fund to engage engineers, contractors, attorneys, architects, and other necessary consultants and/or builders, for the purpose of preparing, designing and construction of a dog pound and the preparation of all necessary documentation thereto, and I move that the Town vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to negotiate and execute all necessary and proper contracts and agreements thereto.

Selectman John Emerson explained the article. The Board of Selectmen and the Finance Committee supported the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 41 Selectman Roger Blomgren, moved that the Town vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for consideration to be determined, to convey and transfer all right, title, and interest, if any held by the town, in a certain parcel of land on Shore Dirve, shown as Lot 28, Blk 16 Assessors' Plat 45 being the premises taken by the Town of Chelmsford by an instrument of taking, dated June 10, 1975 and recorded in Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds in Book 2153, Page 301 and Book 1674, Page 161.

Steve Massey a non resident but petitioner of the article asked to speak. The Moderator asked for a voice vote, motion carried. Steve Massey explained that he owned the abutting parcel and if allowed to purchase this land, then he would have enough land to be able to build a house on the premises. The Finance Committee supported the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 42 Selectman Roger Blomgren, moved that the Town vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for consideraion to be determined, to convey and transfer all right, title, and interest, if any held by the town, in certain parcels of land on Mallory Street, shown as Lots 20 and 21 Blk 16 on Assessors' Plat 44; Lot 21 being the premises described by an instrument, dated January 31, 1957 and recorded in Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds in Book 1362, Page 378, and Lot 20 being the premises described in an instrument

dated May 31, 1966 and recorded in the Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds in Book 1856, Page 383.

Don Guidoboni a non resident but petitioner of the article asked to speak. The Moderator asked for a voice vote, motion carried, unanimously. Don Guidoboni explained that he also wanted the land in order to build on it. The Finance Committee supported the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 43 Selectman Roger Blomgren, moved that the Town vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for consideration to be determined, to convey and transfer all right, title, and interest, if any held by the town, in a certain parcel of land on Billerica Road, shown as Lots 39A and 42B, Blk 36 on Assessors' Plat 129 and being the premises taken by the Town of Chelmsford by an instrument of taking, dated June 15, 1984 and recorded in Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds in Book 2854, Page 194.

Craig Dickenson abutter to the land, explained why he wanted the land. The Finance Committee supported the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 44 Selectman Roger Blomgren, moved that the Town vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for consideration to be determined, to convey and transfer all right, title, and interest, if any held by the town , in a certain parcel of land on Fifth Avenue, shown as lot 58, Blk 22 on Assessors' Plat 66 and being the premises taken by the Town of Chelmsford by an instrument of taking, dated June 10,1975 and recorded in Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds in Book 2153, Page 302.

Mr Treadeau explained why he wanted to purchase the land. The Finance Committee supported the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 45 Selectman Roger Blomgren, moved that the Town vote to authorize the board of Selectmen, for consideration to be determined, with said consideration being set by bid or auction of said property hereinafter described to convey and transfer all right, title, and interest, if any held by the town, in a certain parcel of land on North road, shown as Lot 43, Blk 10 on Assessors' Plat 20 and being the premises taken by the Town of Chelmsford by an instrument of taking, dated December 23, 1985 and recorded in Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds in Book 3322, Page 164.

The Board of Selectmen and the Finance Committee supported the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 46 Attorney Joseph Shanahan, represented the Quinn Family and stated this article and the next article were of a interest to them. He explained that the Quinn Family wanted to swap the land in this article with the land on the next article. The land in this article was 23 scattered town owned parcels around the Freeman Lake area. The land in article 47 could not be built on asit was too wet. It would only be good for conservation purposes. Selectman Emerson moved to amend the article by deleting Plat 66, Lot 62 and Plat 66 Lot 63. The Town didn't want these parcels to be included in the swap. A discussion followed. The Finance Committee supported the motion to amend. Motion carried, unanimously. More discussion took place. Due to other people interested in the parcels, Selectmen Blomgren moved to amend the wording of the article by adding after "for consideration to be determined" the words "with said consideration being set by bid or auction on each individual lot". Motion carried. Selectman Blomgren moved to delete Plat 66 Lot 68 from the article. Roland Daigle explained that he owned the land, not the town. The Finance Committee recommended the motion to amend. Motion carried,

unanimously. Richard Codling moved to amend the wording of the article instead of parcels of land located on Crystal Lake it should read Freeman Lake. The Finance Committee recommended the motion to amend. Motion Carried, unanimously. More discussion took place. A question was raised concerning the lot numbers. Town Treasurer, James Doukszewicz, explained that through the years when transactions take place and new plats are drawn up that the lot numbers do change. The only way a person can be sure of the actual lot number on a piece of property is to search the deed back. The Moderator asked for a voice vote on the article as amended. Motion carried, unanimously. The article reads as follows:

Selectman Roger Blomgren, moved that the Town vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for consideration to be determined, with said consideration being set by bid or auction on each individual lot to convey and transfer all right, title, and interest, if any held by the town, in the following parcels of land located in the Freeman Lake Area of the Town of Chelmsford, shown as the following lots:

Plat 62, Lot 13 containing approximately 4,020 square feet
Plat 62, Lot 15 containing approximately 3,340 square feet
Plat 62, Lot 16 containing approximately 6,400 square feet
Plat 63, Lot 1 containing approximately 3,200 square feet
Plat 63, Lot 2 containing approximately 3,702 square feet
Plat 65, Lot 1 containing approximately 1,510 square feet
Plat 65, Lot 5 containing approximately 3,200 square feet
Plat 65, Lot 10 containing approximately 3,200 square feet
Plat 66, Lot 49 containing approximately 3,240 square feet
Plat 66, Lot 66 containing approximately 3,240 square feet
Plat 67, Lot 12 containing approximately 4,860 square feet
Plat 67, Lot 23 containing approximately 1,650 square feet
Plat 67, Lot 24 containing approximately 1,650 square feet
Plat 67, Lot 31 containing approximately 3,300 square feet
Plat 67, Lot 32 containing approximately 6,600 square feet
Plat 67, Lot 57 containing approximately 3,300 square feet
Plat 67, Lot 58 containing approximately 1,650 square feet
Plat 67, Lot 60 containing approximately 3,300 square feet
Plat 67, Lot 68 containing approximately 3,300 square feet
Plat 67, Lot 69 containing approximately 1,650 square feet

UNDER ARTICLE 47 Selectman Roger Blomgren moved to dismiss this article.

Selectman Blomgren explained that now that the previous article states that the land will go out to auction, there is no need to swap this land. The Finance Committee recommended the motion to dismiss. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 48 Elizabeth Marshall of the Finance Committee, moved that the Town vote to instruct the Board of Assessors to issue the sum of $298,218.00 from Free Cash in the Treasury for the reduction of the tax rate.

The Finance Committee recommended the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

Seeing that there was no further business at hand, the Moderator declared the meeting closed sine,die. The meeting adjourned at 10:45 PM.

Dennis McHugh,
Moderator

Mary E. St.Hilaire,
Town Clerk

WARRANT FOR SPECIAL TOWN MEETING
NOVEMBER 30, 1987

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

MIDDLESEX, SS.

To the Constable, or any other suitable person of the Town of Chelmsford.

In the name of the Commonwealth, aforesaid, you are hereby requested to notify and warn the legal voters of said Chelmsford to meet in the McCarthy Middle School Gymnasium on Monday evening, the thirtieth day of November, 1987, at 7:30 p.m., then and there to act upon the following Articles, Vix:

ARTICLE 1. To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate from available funds the sum of one hundred eight-seven thousand three hundred seventeen dollars ($187,317.00) to the County Retirement Assessments Line Item 136. Expense; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 2. To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate from available funds the sum of twenty thousand dollars ($20,000.00) to the Medicare Tax (FICA), Line Item 138. Expense; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 3. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the sum of two thousand two hundred seventy-five dollars and sixty-six cents ($2,275.66) from the Insurance Sinking Fund to Line Item 38. Liability Insurance in order to reimburse the Town of Chelmsford's insurance carrier for payments made within the deductible provision of said liability policy; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 4. To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate a certain sum of money from the unexpended proceeds of the amount authorized by Article 10 of the Annual Town Meeting of 1985 and Article 43 of the Annual Town Meeting of 1984, for the following purposes:

1. Purchase of a New Fire Alarm Truck.
2. Construct addition to West Fire Station for Housing of Ambulance Service work crew.
3. Allocate additional funds for the construction of access road from upper level parking lot to lower level parking area at the Town Office Building.

or act in relation thereto.

Capital Planning

ARTICLE 5. To see if the Town will vote as follows:

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen of the Town of Chelmsford, Middlesex County, Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

We, the undersigned, being registered voters in and of the Town of Chelmsford, Massachusetts, pursuant to M.G.L.A. Chapter 39, Section 10, as amended and M.G.L.A. Chapter 40A, Section 5, as amended, request that the Board of Selectmen call a Special Town Meeting and insert in the warrant therefor, the following amendment to the Zoning Map and Zoning By-Laws of the Town of Chelmsford, Massachusetts:

That the Zoning Map and Zoning By-Laws be amended as follows:

"The Zoning Map and accompanying ordinance passed, and as most recently amended, entitled "Zoning By-Laws of the Town of Chelmsford" is hereby amended by establishing new lines and striking out the designation "Limited Industrial" (IA) District, as shown on said Zoning Map and substituting in place thereof new lines and the designation "Residential Multi-Family" (RM) District, in so far as said Zoning Map relates to the following described premises:

Commencing at a point being an iron pipe located on the Northeasterly sideline of Turnpike Road; Thence N 41 38' 19" W 5.91' (Five and Ninety-One One Hundredths Feet) to the Point of beginning; said point being the southwest corner of the herein described parcel of land; thence, N 41 38' 19" W 436.78 (Four Hundred Thirty-Six and Seventy-Eight One Hundredths fees) along the right of way line of Turnpike Road to a point; thence, N 41 01' 38" W 45.27' (Forty-Five and Twenty-Seven One Hundredths feet along said right of way line; thence, N 41 48' 28" W 180.48' (One Hundred Eighty and Forty-Eight One Hundredths feet) to a point; thence, N 41 03' 27" W 472.84" (Four Hundred Seventy-Two and Eighty-Four One Hundredths Feet) along said right of way

line to a point of being the Northwesterly corner of said parcel; thence N 83 30' 30" E 583.14' (Five Hundred Eighty-Three and Fourteen One Hundredth Feet) to a point, thence, N 88 01' 42" E 328.37' (Three Hundred Twenty-eight and thirty-seven one hundredths feet) to a point being the Northeasterly corner of the herein described parcel of land; thence, S 11 28' 00" E 46.35 (Forth-Six and Thirty-Five One Hundredths Feet) to a point; thence, S 23 15' 12" E 861.67' (Eight Hundred Sixty-One and Sixty Seven One Hundredths Feet) to a point being the Southeasterly corner of the herein described parcel; said last four courses running in a 5' offset parallel distance along the land now or formerly of Alexander & Alpha Development Corp.; thence running S 80 33' 40" W 577.89' (Five Hundred Seventy-Seven and Eight-Nine Feet) running in a 5' parallel offset along the land now or formerly of Russell to the Point of beginning.

The herein described parcel of land containing 16.19 acres whose dimensions taken from a plan entitled "Plan of land owned by Charles Edward & Nancy M. Svenson", Dated April 1974, prepared by Emmons, Fleming & Bienvenu, Inc.

or act in relation thereto.

Petition

ARTICLE 6. To see if the Town will vote to accept the following mentioned streets, as laid out by the Board of Selectmen and shown by their reports duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk:

1. Holmes Street
2. Perley Street
3. Worthen Street

Providing all the construction of the same meets with the requirements of the Board of Selectmen, and subject to the withholding of any remaining bonds until such requirements have been met and to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to acquire any and all temporary and/or permanent easements, and any property in fee simply, with trees thereon, by purchase, eminent domain, or otherwise, for the property located therein described herewith, for the purpose of securing traffic safety and road improvements, and to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, transfer and appropriate from available funds, transfer and appropriate from the Stabilization Fund, and/or borrow a certain sum of money to defray all necessary costs, fees and expenses in connection with the acquisition of said land and for paying any damages which may be awarded as a result of any such taking; and to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to negotiate and execute all necessary and proper contracts and agreements thereto; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 7. To see if the Town will vote to accept the following mentioned streets, as laid out by the Board of Selectmen and shown by their reports duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk:

1. Omega Circle

Providing all the construction of the same meets with the requirements of the Board of Selectmen, and subject to the withholding of any remaining bonds until such requirements have been met and to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to acquire any and all temporary and/or permanent easements, and any property in fee simply, with trees thereon, by purchase, eminent domain, or otherwise, for the property located therein described herewith, for the purpose of securing traffic safety and road improvements, and to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, transfer and appropriate from available funds, transfer and appropriate from the Stabilization Fund, and/or borrow a certain sum of money to defray all necessary costs, fees and expenses in connection with the acquisition of said land and for paying any damages which may be awarded as a result of any such taking; and to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to negotiate and execute all necessary and proper contracts and agreements thereto; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 8. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a certain sum of money in addition to the nine million nine hundred fifteen thousand dollars ($9,915,000.00) appropriated under Articles 30 and 31 of the warrant for the 1984 Annual Town Meeting for the Town's share of the cost of designing and constructing lateral sewers, interceptor sewers, pumping stations, and force mains to serve the Phase 1A and 1B sewer service areas as described in the 1984 "Facility Plan for Wastewater Management", including North Chelmsford, Chelmsford Center, and the Industrial Area off Billerica Rd.; for reimbursing the City of Lowell for Chelmsford's share of the regional interceptor sewers and treatment facilities; and for paying legal, administrative, and pertinent expenses related to said design and construction costs; to determine whether this appropriation shall be raised by borrowing or otherwise; or to take any other action relative thereto.

Sewer Commission
Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 9. To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate from available funds a certain sum of money to the Selectmens Department, Line Item 2. Expense, for the purpose of establishing a Personnel Department and/or a Personnel Director; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 10. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for consideration to be determined, to convey and transfer all right, title, and interest, if any held by the Town, in a certain parcel of land in Crystal Lake area of the Town of Chelmsford, shown as Lot 14, Plat 62; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 11. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to acquire in fee simple, by purchase, by eminent domain or otherwise, the property with the buildings and trees thereon, the property known as the Apple Country Club, located off Park Road, consisting of 31.50 acres of land, in Chelmsford, Massachusetts, for the purpose of open space land, and/or active and passive recreation areas, and to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, transfer and appropriate from available funds, transfer and appropriate from the Stabilization Fund, transfer and appropriate from revenue sharing funds, and/or borrow a certain sum of money to defray all necessary costs, fees and expenses in connection with the acquisition of said land and for paying any damages which may be awarded as the result of any such taking, and further to authorize the Board of Selectmen to negotiate and execute all necessary and proper contracts, agreements and notices thereto; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 12. To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate the sum of one thousand three hundred dollars ($1,300.00) from Article 8 of the Special Town Meeting of December 8, 1986, to the Town Clerk Department. Line Item 20. Expense; or act in relation thereto.

Town Clerk

ARTICLE 13. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Town of Chelmsford General By-Laws, Article VII, Section I. Regulation of Dogs, as follows:

1. Amend paragraph 5 license fees by deleting the same in its entirety substituting the following in its place:

5. LICENSE FEES

The fee for every dog licensed shall be a:

Five Dollars ($5.00) for every neutered male dog.
Five Dollars ($5.00) for every spayed female dog.
Five Dollars ($5.00) for every male and female dog.

Determination of licensing eligibility, dogs not required to be licensed, or refunding license fees, shall be determined as set out in Section 139.

The fee for every kennel licenses shall be as follows:

Twenty Dollars ($20.00) for every kennel license for 4 dogs or less

Forty Dollars ($40.00) for every kennel license for over 4 but not over 10 dogs.

Seventy-Five Dollars ($75.00) for every kennel license for over 10 dogs but not over 25 dogs.

All the fees shall be increased by Five Dollars ($5.00) on the first day of the second month following the required licensing period, as outlined in Section 3 (a) of this By-Law, and by an additional Five Dollars ($5.00) on the first day of each succeeding month.

In addition to all other sums due and owing for any license fee hereunder, a person who applies for license hereunder shall be obligated to pay all prior amount of license fees determined to be due and owing by the Town Clerk pursuant to this By-Law, for past periods in which said person was obligated to obtain license. It shall be a violation of this By-law to fail to pay any said sum due hereunder this remedy shall be cumulative.

2. Amend paragraph 3. Registration and Licenses, by deleting the time period of three months wherever the same occurs in said paragraph, and substituting the time period of six months, in its place;

3. Amend paragraph 11. Damage caused by Dogs, by adding the following paragraph at the end of said paragraph.

The Towns, and the Towns agents, servants, employees and/or elected officials obligations and liability hereunder shall be limited to one hundred dollars ($100.00) per animal, and five hundred dollars ($500.00) per residence, per fiscal year. This shall not limit the Towns remedies and rights to seek compensation in excess of said amount, pursuant to this By-Law.

4. Amend Section 4, Kennel License by adding the following paragraph (f) at the end of said paragraph.

(f) All Kennels shall be limited to a total of twenty-five (25) dogs to be maintained on said premises. It shall be a violation of this By-law to have any dogs on said premises over and above said number.

or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 14. To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate from available funds a certain sum of money to the Highway Department, Line Item 81. Salary, for the purpose of purchasing accumulated sick leave; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 15. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to acquire any and all temporary and/or permanent easements, and any property in fee simple, with the buildings and trees thereon, by purchase, eminent domain, or otherwise, for the property located in the Town of Chelmsford, Massachusetts and further described as Parcel "A" as shown on a set of plans, entitled "Plan of land entitled, Eminent Domain takings, Parkhurst/Drum Hill Road, dated March 2, 1987, prepared by the Town of Chelmsford by James Pearson, Town Engineer, copies of which are on file in the office of the Town Engineer and are incorporated herewith, for the purpose of securing traffic safety and road improvements, and to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, transfer and appropriate from available funds, transfer and appropriate from the Stabilization Fund, transfer and appropriate revenue sharing funds and/or borrow a certain sum of money to defray all necessary costs, fees and expenses in connection with the acquisition of said land and for paying any damages which may be awarded as the result of any such taking; and to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to negotiate and execute all necessary and proper contracts and agreements thereto; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 16. To see if the Town will vote to transfer a certain sum of money from Line Item 120. Expense to Line Item 119. Labor-Part-time; or act in relation thereto.

Varney Playground

ARTICLE 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer and appropriate from available funds a certain sum of money for the purpose of implementing a Traffic Control Division within the Police Department; or act in relation thereto.

Police Department

ARTICLE 18. To see if the Town will vote to amend the General By-Laws, Article III Section 4. Fees-Town Clerk and Treasurer by adding the following provision:

80. For Licenses, registrations, or certificates of the head of the Fire Department, issued pursuant to General Law Chapter 148, Section 13:

(a) $50.00 for each new licenses application, etc.
(b) $25.00 for each renewal application, etc.

or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 19. To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate from available funds, a certain sum of money to the Selectmen's Department, Line Item 2. Expense; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 20. To see if the Town will vote to remove the use restrictions placed on the transfer of the five (5) acre parcel of property described in Article 16 of the Special Town Meeting of January 27, 1986, and substitute the following in its place:

"5 acres of which shall be for the exclusive and specific use of Elderly Housing and/or Family Housing by the Chelmsford Housing Authority"

and to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to execute all necessary and proper agreements and documents thereto; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 21. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, transfer and appropriate from available funds, borrow or appropriate and transfer from the Stabilization Fund, a certain sum of money

For the completion of Closure Plan for Swain Road Landfill, incluing loaming and seeding;

Groundwater monitoring and sampling as required by the Department of Environmental Quality Engineering (DEQE);

Combustible gas monitoring as required by DEQE;

And miscellaneous site work not previously anticipated; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Health

ereof fail not and make return of this Warrant with your
oings at the time and place of said meeting. Given unto
ur hands this 9th day of November, 1987.

Roger A. Blomgren, Chairman

Henrick R. Johnson, Jr., Vice Chairman

Bonita A. Towle, Clerk

Dennis J. Ready

John P. Emerson, Jr.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

MIDDLESEX, SS. NOVEMBER 12 , 1987

Pursuant to the within Warrant, I have notified and warned the Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford by posting up attested copies of same at the following places, to wit: The New Town Office Building Gym; Harrington Elementary School Gymnasium; Harrington Elementary School Gymnasium; Westland School Cafeteria; Byam School Cafeteria; Westland School Cafeteria; Harrington Elementary School Gymnasium; McCarthy Middle School, Small Gymnasium; South Row School Cafeteria; South Row School Cafeteria; Westlands School Cafeteria; McCarthy Middle School, Small Gymnasium fourteen days at least before the time appointed for holding the meeting aforesaid.

William E. Spence
Constable of Chelmsford

A True Copy Attest, William E. Spence
William E. Spence, Constable of Chelmsford

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING
NOVEMBER 30, 1987

The Special Town Meeting was called to order at 7:30 PM at the McCarthy Middle School Gymnasium. The Moderator Dennis McHugh recognized the presence of a quorum. Town Council James Harrington moved to adjourn the Special Town Meeting to the Auditorium, until 7:40 PM which had been set up for the Special. Motion carried. The meeting reconvened at 7:45 PM in the Auditorium. There were 471 voters present.

The Moderator explained the Town Meeting procedure.

Selectman Roger A. Blomgren moved that the reading of the Constable's return of service and the posting of the warrant be waived. It was so voted, unanimously. Selectman Roger A. Blomgren moved that the reading of the entire warrant be waived. It was so voted unanimously.

Selectman Blomgren moved to allow the Executive Secretary, Bernard Lynch, who is a non resident, to speak to the Town Meeting body from time to time. Motion carried, unanimously. Selectman Blomgren mentioned that the Board of Selectman signed a proclamation for C.H.S. Appreciation Day for Saturday December 5, 1987. This is to acknowledge appreciation to the Student Body and Athlete for their exceptional performance this year. Selectman Blomgren then explained that Selectman John P. Emerson Jr has announced that he would not be seeking re-election to the Board of Selectmen in April. Due to the fact that this would probably be the last Town Meeting he would be attending in his official capacity, Selectman Blomgren wanted to publicly thank Selectmen Emerson for his four years of work and dedication. The Town Meeting Body acknowledge both announcements with a round of applause. Selectman Blomgren then made opening statements concerning the present financial status of the Town.

UNDER ARTICLE 1 Selectman Roger Blomgren moved that the town vote to transfer and appropriate from free cash the sum of one hundred eighty-seven thousand three hundred seventeen dollar ($187,317.00) to the County Retirement Assessments Line Item 136. Expense.

The Board of Selectmen supported the article. Dwight Haywood, Chairman of the Finance, explained why the Committee supported the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 2 Selectman Roger Blomgren moved that the Town vote to transfer from Debt and Interest Line Item 148. Interest the sum of twenty thousand dollars ($20,000.00) to the Medicare Tax (FICA), Line Item 138. Expense.

The Board of Selectmen supported the article. The Finance Committee supported the article. Motion caried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 3 Selectman Roger Blomgren moved that the Town vote to transfer the sum of two thousand two hundred seventy-five dollars and sixty-six cents ($2,275.66) from the Insurance Sinking fund to Line Item 38. Liability Insurance in order to reimburse the Town of Chelmsford's insurance carrier for payments made within the deductible provision of said liability policy.

The Board of Selectmen supported the article. The Finance

Committee supported the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 4 Chairman of the Capital Planning Committee, James Doukszewicz, moved that the town vote to transfer and appropriate the sum of Sixty-Four Thousand Eight Hundred Dollars ($64,800.00) from the unexpended proceeds of the amount authorized by Article 10 of the Annual Town Meeting of 1985 and the amount of One Thousand Eight Hundred and Eight-Two Dollars and Thirty-Nine Cents ($1,882.39) from the unexpended proceeds of the amount authorized by Article 43 of the Annual Town Meeting of 1984, for the following purposes:

1. Purchase of a New Fire Alarm Truck	$35,000.00
2. Allocate additional funds for the construction of access road from upper level parking lot to lower level parking area at the Town Office Building.	$31,682.39

James Doukszewicz explained the article. The money can only be used for whatever is stated in the article. Plus only the amount of money stated is the only amount allowed. Bids were done in order to arrive at the exact amount listed. The Finance Committee supported the article. The Board of Selectmen also supported the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 5 The Moderator Dennis McHugh, explained that he had a conflict of interest with this article. He represented the interested party, therefore he would have to step down as Moderator. Town Clerk Mary St.Hilaire, moved to nominate Town Counsel James Harrington, as Acting Moderator for this article. Motion carried, unanimously. The Town Clerk then swore in the Acting Moderator. Selectman John Emerson moved to waive the reading of the complete legal description of the land to be rezoned. Motion carried, unanimously.

Attorney Joseph Shanahan, representing the petitioners, explained the article. The neighbors in the immediate area wanted to rezone the land from IA (Limited Industrial) to RM (multi-Family) this would keep the residential neighborhood concept. Attorney Shanahan did a presention showing the proposed ninety-four condominium units. He explained that the condominium association would be responsible for their own snow plowing and trash services.

Thomas Firth of the Planning Board read the Board's recommendation: The Planning Board held a Public Hearing on November 18, 1987 and voted in favor (6 in favor, 1 abstained) of the proposal to amending the zoning by-laws and zonng map from Industrial to Multiple Residence.

The Acting Moderator asked for any questions from the voters. Questions were raised concerning lost of tax revenue for the Town from the Industrial Zone. Would there be any low income housing units? Attorney Shanahan explained how much the units would be paying in property taxes, and that the units would start at least at $175,000.00, therefore there would not be any low income units. There will be approximately twenty-seven school age children. More discussion followed. Barry Balan a resident in the area asked for support of the article. He said that the residents in the immediate area wanted the change because if industry was built, the property and resale value would go down on their homes. Barry Balan then moved the question to stop debate. The Acting Moderator attempted for an unanimous voice vote, which failed. The following tellers were called forward to conduct

hand count, a 2/3's vote is required:

David McLachalan	John Warren	Margaret Johnson
Edward Marshall	Jocelyn Anthony	Norman LeBrecque
Barbara Ward	Jean Horgan	Sandra Kilburn
	Ruth Delaney	

Before conducting the hand count the Acting Moderator attempted once more a voice vote. Motion carried, unanimously. The Acting Moderator then attempted a unanimous voice vote on the article, which failed. The tellers came forward and conducted a hand count. Yes: 428 No: 3 (288 needed) motion carried. The article reads as follows:

Attorney Joseph Shanahan moved that the Town vote as follows:

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen of the Town of Chelmsford, Middlesex County, Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

We, the undersigned, being registered voters in and of the Town of Chelmsford, Massachusetts, pursuant to M.G.L.A. Chapter 39, Section 10, as amended and M.G.L.A. Chapter 40A, Section 5, as amended, request that the Board of Selectmen call a Special Town Meeting and insert in the warrant therefor, the following amendment to the Zoning Map and Zoning By-Laws of the Town of Chelmsford, Massachusetts:

That the Zoning Map and Zoning By-Laws be amended as follows:

"The Zoning Map and accompanying ordinance passed, and as most recently amended, entitled "Zoning By-Laws of the Town of Chelmsford" is hereby amended by establishing new lines and striking out the designation "Limited Industrial" (IA) District, as shown on said Zoning Map and substituting in place thereof new lines and the designation "Residential Multi-Family" (RM) District, in so far as said Zoning Map relates to the following described premises:

Commencing at a point being an iron pipe located on the Northeasterly sideline of Turnpike Road; Thence N 41° 38' 19" W 5.91' (Five and Ninety-One One Hundredths Feet) to the Point of beginning; said point being the southwest corner of the herein described parcel of land; thence, N 41° 38' 19" W 436.78 (Four Hundred Thirty-Six and Seventy-Eight One Hundredths fees) along the right of way line of Turnpike Road to a point; thence, N 41° 01' 38" W 45.27' (Forty-Five and Twenty-Seven One Hundredths feet along said right of way line; thence, N 41° 48' 28" W 180.48' (One Hundred Eighty and Forty-Eight One Hundredths feet) to a point; thence, N 41° 03' 27" W 472.84" (Four Hundred Seventy-Two and Eighty-Four One Hundredths Feet) along said right of way line to a point of being the Northwesterly

corner of said parcel; thence N 83° 30' 30" E 583.14' (Five Hundred Eighty-Three and Fourteen One Hundredth Feet) to a point, thence, N 88° 01' 42" E 328.37' (Three Hundred Twenty-eight and thirty-seven one hundredths feet) to a point being the Northeasterly corner of the herein described parcel of land; thence, S 11° 28' 00" E 46.35 (Forty-Six and Thirty-Five One Hundredths Feet) to a point; thence, S 23° 15' 12" E 861.67' (Eight Hundred Sixty-One and Sixty Seven One Hundredths Feet) to a point being the Southeasterly corner of the herein described parcel; said last four courses running in a 5' offset parallel distance along the land now or formerly of Alexander & Alpha Development Corp.; thence running S 80° 33' 40" W 577.89' (Five Hundred Seventy-Seven and Eight-Nine Feet) running in a 5' parallel offset along the land now or formerly of Russell to the Point of beginning.

The herein described parcel of land containing 16.19 acres whose dimensions taken from a plan entitled "Plan of land owned by Charles Edward & Nancy M. Svenson", Dated April 1974, prepared by Emmons, Fleming & Bienvenu, Inc.

Dennis McHugh return to his position as Moderator, and continued the meeting.

UNDER ARTICLE 6 Selectman Roger Blomgren moved that the Town vote to accept the following mentioned streets, as laid out by the board of Selectmen and shown by their reports duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk:

1. Holmes Street
2. Perley Street
3. Wothern Street

Providing all the construction of the same meets with the requirements of the Board of Selectmen, and subject to the withholding of any remaining bonds until such requirements have been met and I move that the Town vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to acquire any and all temporary and/or permanent easements, and any property in fee simply, with trees thereon, by purchase, eminent domain, or otherwise, for the property located therein described herewith, for the purpose of securing traffic safety and road improvements, and I move that the town vote to transfer and appropriate from Free Cash the amount of three dollars ($3.00) to defray all necessary cost, fees and expenses in connection with the acquisition of said land and for paying any damages which may be awarded as a result of any such taking; and I move that the town vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to negotiate and execute all necessary and proper contracts and agreements thereto.

Selectman Blomgren explained that these streets are involved in the present sewer project, and must be officially accepted so that the work can be completed. The Board of Selectmen support the article. The Finance Committee is in favor. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 7 Selectman Roger Blomgren moved that the vote to dismiss this article.

Selectman Blomgren explained the reason for the dismissal. The Finance Committee supports the motion. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 8 Chairman of the Sewer Commission, John Emerson, explained the article. He stated "this is for bonding purposes, and 3 million of the cost will be borne by the industrial district and not by the Town." He ask the Moderator for permission to have Weston and Simpson, the engineering firm conducting the project, speak to the body if need be. Motion carried, unanimously. Before having Weston and Simpson answer any questions, he asked the Town Treasurer to explain the bonding process. Treasurer James Doukszewicz came forward and spoke about the article. The Finance Commmittee supported the article. The Moderator asked if there were any further questions, hearing none he asked for a voice vote on the article. Motion carried, unanimously. It reads as follows:

Chairman of the Sewer Commission, John Emerson, moved that the Town vote to appropriate the amount of three million nine hundred thousand dollars ($3,900,000.00) in addition to the nine million nine hundred fifteen thousand dollars ($9,915,000.00) appropriated under Articles 30 and 31 of the warrant for the 1984 Annual Town Meeting for the Town's share of the cost of designing and constructing lateral sewers, interceptor sewers, pumping stations, and force mains to serve the Phase A and 1B sewer service areas as described in the 1984 "Facility Plan for Wastewater Management", including North Chelmsford, Chelmsford Center, and the Industial Area off Billerica Road, for reimbursing the City of Lowell for Chelmsfords's share of the regional interceptor sewers and treatment facilities; and for paying legal, admimistrative, and pertinent expenses related to said design and construction costs; and I move that to meet this appropriation the Treaurer with the approval of the Board of Selectmen is authorized to borrow 3.9 million dollars under General Law Chapter 44, Section 8 (15) and all other applicable Massachusetts General Laws, and, that the Sewer Commission is authorized to apply for, accept and expend any federal or state aid available for the project, and that betterment shall be assessed based on Sewer Units in conjunction with lateral sewer construction and that the provisions of General Law Chapter 80, Section 13 B are accepted as they pertain to this project.

UNDER ARTICLE 9 Selectman Roger Blomgren moved that the town vote to transfer and appropriate from Free Cash the sum of fourteen thousand four hundred four dollar ($14,404.00) to the Selectmens Department, as follows:

Line Item 1.	Salary	$9,104.00
Line Item 2.	Expense	$5,300.00

for the purpose of establishing a Personnel Department and/or Personnel Director.

Executive Secretary Bernard Lynch explained the article. He said that the Town received a $50,000.00 grant to be used over the next three years starting with this fiscal year. This figure represents 75% of the entire director's salary, the rest will come from the Town. This person will carry out the personnel functions presently being handled by the Town Treasurer and Accounting Department. The Personnel Director will assist the Selectmen, Executive Secretary and Personnel Board in performing their legal duties. The Director will be appointed by the Board of Selectmen and report to the Executive Secretary. A Discussion followed. Voters spoke for and against the motion. Jean Rook moved the question to stop debate. Motion carried, unanimously. The Moderator attempted a unanimous voice vote, which failed. The tellers were called forward and conducted a hand count. Result of the count Yes: 190 No: 93 (190 equals 2\3's vote required) motion carried.

Seventy-Five Dollars ($75.00)	for every kennel license for over 10 dogs but not over 25 dogs.

All the fees shall be increased by Five Dollars ($5.00) on the first day of the second month following the required licensing period, as outlined in Section 3 (a) of this By-Law, and by an additional Five Dollars ($5.00) on the first day of each succeeding month.

In addition to all other sums due and owing for any license fee hereunder, a person who applies for license hereunder shall be obligated to pay all prior amount of license fees determined to be due and owing by the Town Clerk pursuant to this By-Law, for past periods in which said person was obligated to obtain license. It shall be a violation of this By-law to fail to pay any said sum due hereunder this remedy shall be cumulative.

2. Amend paragraph 3. Registration and Licenses, by deleting the time period of three months wherever the same occurs in said paragraph, and substituting the time period of six months, in its place;

3. Amend paragraph 11. Damage caused by Dogs, by adding the following paragraph at the end of said paragraph.

The Towns, and the Towns agents, servants, employees and/or elected officials obligations and liability hereunder shall be limited to one hundred dollars ($100.00) per animal, and five hundred dollars ($500.00) per residence, per fiscal year. This shall not limit the Towns remedies and rights to seek compensation in excess of said amount, pursuant to this By-Law.

4. Amend Section 4, Kennel License by adding the following paragraph (f) at the end of said paragraph.

(f) All Kennels shall be limited to a total of twenty-five (25) dogs to be maintained on said premises. It shall be a violation of this By-law to have any dogs on said premises over and above said number.

UNDER ARTICLE 14 Selectman Roger Blomgren, moved that the town vote transfer from Debt and Interest Line Item 148. Interest the sum of ne thousand four hundred sixty-six dollars to the Highway Department, n Item 81. Salary, for the purpose of purchasing accumulated sick ave.

Selectman Blomgren explained the article. The Finance Committee pported the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 10 Selectman Roger Blomgren moved that the Town vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for consideration to be determined, to convey and transfer all right, title, and interest, if any held by the Town, in a certain parcel of land in Crystal Lake area of the Town of Chelmsford, shown as Lot 14, Plat 62.

The Finance Committee supported the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 11 Selectman Roger Blomgren, moved to dismiss this article. The Finance Committee supported the motion to dismiss. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 12 Town Clerk Mary E. St.Hilaire, moved that the Town vote to transfer and appropriate the sum of one thousand three hundred dollars ($1,300.00) from Article 8 of the Special Town Meeting of December 8, 1986 to the Town Clerk Department. Line Item 20. Expense.

Executive Secretary Bernard Lynch, explained that one year ago the Town appropriated $6,500.00 to prepare a new zoning by-law book. The money mentioned in this article is the money left over from the 6.500.00 and is to be used to up-date the present traffic rules and regulations of the Town. The Finance Committee supports the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 13 Selectman Blomgren explained the article. The State law has changed, a dog must be licensed at six months of age instead of three months. The Town is increasing the kennel fee and limiting the total number of dogs allowed in a kennel, not to exceed twenty-five dogs. Also the wording is strengthen concerning past due licenses and liability. The Board of Selectmen and the Finance Committee supported the article. The Moderator asked for a voice vote, motion carried unanimously. The article reads as follows:

Selectman Roger Blomgren moved that the Town vote to amend
the Town of Chelmsford General By-Laws, Article VII, Section I. Regulation of Dogs, as follows:

1. Amend paragraph 5 license fees by deleting the same in its entirety substituting the following in its place:

5. LICENSE FEES

The fee for every dog licensed shall be a:

Five Dollars ($5.00) for every neutered male dog.
Five Dollars ($5.00) for every spayed female dog.
Five Dollars ($5.00) for every male and female dog.

Determination of licensing eligibility, dogs not required to be licensed, or refunding license fees, shall be determined as set out in Section 139.

The fee for every kennel licenses shall be as follows:

Twenty Dollars ($20.00) for every kennel license for 4 dogs or less

Forty Dollars ($40.00) for every kennel license for over 4 but not over 10 dogs.

UNDER ARTICLE 15 Selectman Roger Blomgren moved that the Town vote t authorize the Board of Selectmen to acquire any and all temporary a d/or permanent easements, and any property in fee simple, with the b ildings and trees thereon, by purchase, eminent domain, or otherwise, f r the property located in the Town of Chelmsford Massachusetts and f rther described as Parcel "A" as shown on a set of plans, entitled "lan of land entitled, Eminent Domain takings, Parkhurst/Drum Hill oad, dated March 2, 1987, prepared by the Town of Chelmsford by James arson, Town Engineer, copies of which are on file in the office of the own Engineer and are incorporated therewith, for the purpose of ecuring traffic safety and road improvements, and I move that the town ote to transfer and appropriate from Free Cash the sum of five thousand ollars ($5,000.00) to defray all necessary cost, fees and expenses in onnection with the acquisition of said land and for paying any damages hich may be awarded as the result of any such taking; and I move that he Town vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to negotiate and xecute all necessary and proper contracts and agreements thereto.

The Board of Selectmen and the Finance Committee support the rticle. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 16 Chairman of the Varney Playground, Harry Ayotte, oved that the town vote to transfer the sum of five hundred dollars $500.00) from Line Item 120. Expense to Line Item 119. Labor-Part-time.

Chairman of the Finance Committee, Dwight Hayward, explained that his was basically a house keeping article. The Finance Committee upported the article. Motion carried, unanimsously.

UNDER ARTICLE 17 Chief of Police, Raymond McKeon, moved that the own vote to transfer and appropriate from Free Cash the sum of one undred four thousand three hundred twenty-seven dollars ($104,327.00) or the purpose of implementing a Traffic Control Division within the olice Department.

Chief McKeon explained the article. This is for only a six month rial basis. This is the overtime figure needed for three men to cover he shift that three men will leave in order to make up the division. e asked the Town Meeting Body for their support of the article. The inance Committee didn't feel that the need is justified at this time, nd did not support the article. A lengthy discussion followed. The oard of Selectmen felt that the Town had a strong traffic problem and elt that the request was justified. The Moderator attempted a voice ote which failed. The tellers came forward and conducted a hand count. Yes: 162 No: 48 (140 needed for 2/3's) motion carried.

UNDER ARTICLE 18 Selectman Roger Blomgren, moved that the Town vote to amend the General By-laws, Article III Section 4. Fee-Town Clerk and Treasurer by adding the following provision:

80. For Licenses, registrations, or certificates of the head of the Fire Department, issued pursuant to General Law Chapter 148, Section 13:

(a) $50.00 for each new licenses application, etc.
(b) $25.00 for each renewal application, etc.

The Selectmen were in favor of this article. It was explained that this concerns the under ground gas storage licenses and renewals. the Finance Committee supported the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 19 Selectman Roger Blomgren, moved to dismiss this article. The Finance Committee was in favor of the dismal. Motion

carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 20 Selectman Roger Blomgren moved that the Town vote to remove the use restrictions placed on the transfer of the five (5) acre parcel of property described in Article 16 of the Special Town Meeting of January 27, 1986, and substitute the following in its place:

"5 acres of which shall be for the exclusive and specific use of Elderly Housing/and or Family by the Chelmsford Housing Authority"

and moved that the Town vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to execute all necessary and proper agreements and documents thereto.

Housing Authority Chairman, Ruth Delaney, explained the article. Due to peat being located at the North School site, there would be an additional cost of $40,000.00 needed to drive the pillings into the ground. This money is not available in the allotted funding from the State. In the future, the Housing Authority will apply for Chapter 689 funds to develop handicapped housing on this site. At that time they will be aware of the need for additional funding for the problem. Irene Peteruk questioned how many family units would be on this site? Due to the problem only three out of four units will be developed. The Housing Authority will convert an elderly condominum unit into a family unit which will be the fourth unit. The Finance Committee supported the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 21 Chairman of the Board of Health, Paul McCarthy, moved that the Town vote transfer and appropriate, from the unexpended proceeds of the amount authorized by Article 10 of the Annual Town Meeting of 1985 the sum of fifty thousand dollars ($50,000.00). For the completion of Contract 2 as part of closure plan for Swain Road Landfill, including loaming and seeding.

The Finance Committee recommended the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

Due to no further business being at hand, the Moderator declared the meeting adjourned. Motion carried, unanimously. The meeting adjourned at 10:40 PM.

Dennis E. McHugh,
Moderator

Mary E. St.Hilaire,
Town Clerk

TOWN WARRANT FOR PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY

MARCH 8, 1988

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

MIDDLESEX, SS.

To the Constable of the Town of Chelmsford:

GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to vote at:

Precinct 1: Town Offices Gymnasium, 50 Billerica Road
Precinct 2: Harrington School Gymnasium, 120 Richardson Road
Precinct 3: Harrington School Gymnasium, 120 Richardson Road
Precinct 4: Westlands School Cafeteria, 170 Dalton Road
Precinct 5: Byam School Cafetorium, 25 Maple Road
Precinct 6: Westlands School Cafeteria, 170 Dalton Road
Precinct 7: McCarthy Middle School Small Gymnasium, 250 North Road
Precinct 8: McCarthy Middle School Small Gymnasium, 250 North Road
Precinct 9: Town Offices Gymnasium, 50 Billerica Road

TUESDAY, THE EIGHTH DAY OF MARCH, 1988

From 7:00 A.M. to 8:00 P.M. for the following purpose:

To cast their votes in the Presidential Primary for the candidates of political parties for the following offices:

PRESIDENTIAL PREREFERENCE	FOR THE COMMONWEALTH
STATE COMMITTEE MAN	FIFTH MIDDLESEX SENATORIAL DISTRICT
STATE COMMITTEE WOMAN	FIFTH MIDDLESEX SENATORIAL DISTRICT
TOWN DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE	THIRTY-FIVE (35) MEMBERS
TOWN REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE	THIRTY-FIVE (35) MEMBERS

The polls will be open from 7:00 A.M. to 8:00 P.M.

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this eighth day of February, A.D. 1988

BOARD OF SELECTMEN OF TOWN OF CHELMSFORD

Roger A. Blomgren, Chairman

Henrick R. Johnson, Jr. Vice Chairman

Bonita A. Towle, Clerk

Dennis J. Ready

John P. Emerson, Jr.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

MIDDLESEX, SS. February 11, 1988

Pursuant to the within warrant, I have notified and warned the Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford by posting up attested copies of same at the following places, to wit:

Town Office Building Gym, Harrington School Gymnasium, Harrington School Gymnasium, Westlands School Cafeteria, Byam School Cafetorium, Westlands School Cafeteria, McCarthy Middle School Small Gymnasium, McCarthy Middle School Small Gymnasium, and Town Office Building Gym, and Town Office Building Lobby.

Signed:

William E. Spence

William E. Spence, Constable

A True Copy Attest: William E. Spence

William E. Spence, Constable

PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE	Pct 1	Pct 2	Pct 3	Pct 4	Pct 5	Pct 6	Pct 7	Pct 8	Pct 9	TOWN
Michael S. Dukakis	216	198	230	236	227	208	269	228	174	1986
Albert Gore Jr	20	22	20	20	33	32	29	16	20	212
Florenzo DiDonato	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	3
Paul Simon	12	21	15	14	22	16	28	23	17	168
Bruce Babbitt	1	3	3	2	4	2	6	2	4	27
Richard E. Gephardt	64	44	41	72	57	64	62	49	49	502
Jesse L. Jackson	62	66	64	52	81	67	74	82	66	614
Gary Hart	4	7	8	5	3	5	4	8	3	47
Lyndon H. LaRouche Jr	0	0	2	4	0	0	0	1	1	8
No Preference	7	8	5	10	11	10	6	9	7	73
All Others	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	0	0	4
Blanks	3	3	0	5	2	6	0	5	3	27
TOTAL	389	372	390	421	440	410	482	423	344	3671
STATE COMMITTEE MAN 5th Middlesex District										
Chester G. Atkins*	270	259	283	311	315	271	349	303	220	2581
Blanks	119	113	107	110	125	139	133	120	124	1090
TOTAL	389	372	390	421	440	410	482	423	344	3671
STATE COMMITTEE WOMAN 5th Middlesex District										
Carla C. Cataldo	117	112	113	116	131	122	120	122	107	1060
Lorraine Greiff	94	89	97	130	134	137	148	113	82	1024
Blanks	178	171	180	175	175	151	214	188	155	1587
TOTAL	389	372	390	421	440	410	482	423	344	3671
TOWN COMMITTEE GROUP 1										
Eleanor D. Abbott	159	165	175	196	222	180	216	177	171	1661
JOhn G. Abbott	159	155	156	189	213	175	200	168	162	1577
Linda J. Allen	160	153	161	196	230	176	199	180	152	1607
Dean J. Bergeron	190	182	176	214	230	200	235	216	156	1799
James Brough	164	157	177	193	210	178	216	184	153	1632
Kathryn Brough	156	159	176	199	216	181	222	181	162	1652
Irene J. Cetaruk	158	157	165	188	202	181	219	181	149	1600
Ruth K. Delaney	191	182	189	258	232	211	243	195	174	1875
Stratos G. Dukakis	175	167	186	213	224	195	241	188	160	1749
John P. Emerson Jr	202	192	218	239	240	228	242	217	181	1959
Kathleen S. Fitzpatrick	173	167	193	208	227	201	231	199	167	1766
Susan J. Gates	155	153	157	194	216	170	202	177	154	1578
Joan M. Gauthier	163	158	179	195	215	187	210	172	162	1641
Mark W. Gauthier	170	161	178	195	209	197	214	179	164	1667
James M. Geary Jr	202	176	204	229	233	229	253	205	188	1919
Alexander W. Gervais	166	174	168	202	203	179	201	193	146	1632

	Pct 1	Pct 2	Pct 3	Pct 4	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Pct 8	Pct 9	TOTAL
James M. Harrington	191	180	189	231	236	222	234	208	171	1862
Gloria D. Huber	153	155	163	191	204	180	206	175	146	1573
Richard J. Jerome	152	154	156	187	197	167	193	174	139	1519
Susan G. Koecjhaven	157	158	162	189	210	172	206	171	155	1580
Yvette M. Lemire	152	154	151	195	200	170	200	173	143	1538
Frances T. McDougall	165	159	171	208	202	179	211	180	151	1626
Mary B. McNally	163	165	160	213	206	201	215	183	148	1654
Carl A. Olsson	175	172	177	231	223	226	234	196	182	1816
Judith A. Olsson	165	168	175	228	219	222	226	182	168	1753
Marianne J. Pareksy	160	162	181	192	210	185	208	189	156	1643
Gail Poulten	161	159	173	204	223	185	215	178	160	1658
Samuel Poulten	188	166	180	207	242	201	220	195	171	1770
Dennis J. Ready	186	178	199	224	248	207	264	207	175	1888
Mary E. St.Hilaire	225	213	214	281	257	263	273	228	188	2142
Charles K. Spear	151	149	162	185	195	174	194	176	139	1525
Bonita Towle	203	199	227	270	260	223	262	222	192	2058
Cheryl M. Warshafsky	158	154	158	193	227	178	208	181	148	1605
Karen A. Wharton	162	155	161	185	208	177	199	168	156	1571
Mary E. White	182	173	179	235	223	235	233	201	163	1824
All Others	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0		1
Blanks	7623	7189	7454	7378	7688	7515	9124	8206	6388	68565
TOTAL	13615	13020	13650	14735	15400	14350	16870	14805	12040	128485

*indicates candidate for re-election

	Pct 1	Pct 2	Pct 3	Pct 4	Pct 5	Pct 6	Pct 7	Pct 8	Pct 9	TOTAL
PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY										
Pierre S. DuPont,IV	9	6	3	2	5	4	3	3	4	39
Marion G. (Pat) Robinson	10	8	8	9	26	14	3	7	8	93
George Bush	144	119	144	127	146	175	199	153	175	1382
Alexander M. Haig Jr	1	1	1	4	1	2	2	0	1	13
Jack Kemp	14	21	21	20	30	19	21	24	18	188
Bob Dole	73	58	67	61	96	78	83	57	64	637
No Preference	0	3	0	2	9	4	2	4	5	29
All Others	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	3
Blanks	5	2	3	1	1	1	1	0	1	15
TOTAL	257	218	247	226	314	297	314	250	276	2399
STATE COMMITTEE MAN 5th Middlesex District										
Paul F. X. Powers*	146	123	130	130	189	152	164	142	145	1321
Blanks	111	95	117	96	125	145	150	108	131	1078
TOTAL	257	218	247	226	314	297	314	250	276	2399
STATE COMMITTEE WOMAN 5th Middlesex District										
Joyce W. Kidd	123	115	145	125	183	145	181	140	160	1317
Blanks	134	103	102	101	131	152	133	110	116	1082
TOTAL	257	218	247	226	314	297	314	250	276	2399
TOWN COMMITTEE GROUP 1										
Richard F. Scott	140	108	123	111	162	161	171	132	152	1260
William R. Logan	166	120	151	117	182	172	190	147	162	1407
Eileen K. Fletcher	145	118	145	115	165	168	180	140	157	1333
Constance A. Pickard	131	105	124	105	157	152	170	131	146	1221
Richard F. Burtt Jr	135	112	126	104	151	153	163	126	145	1215
Walter A. Cleven	155	122	170	137	203	196	208	162	176	1529
Francis X. Harrison Sr	126	105	118	99	151	140	155	124	148	1166
John S. Fudge Jr	134	110	132	108	153	161	165	130	174	1267
Peter Dulchinos	142	111	149	117	169	165	176	149	153	1331
Janet B. Hendl	129	111	135	103	156	149	171	138	144	1236
Frances S. deJager	125	103	114	98	148	149	159	125	146	1167
Florence E. Morrison	132	105	118	105	156	144	154	121	139	1174
HalvarP. Peterson	131	119	131	104	154	153	163	129	145	1229
Rita M. Gamache	135	106	131	106	154	150	162	133	145	1222
John H. Ketcham	126	108	116	99	148	149	153	123	138	1160
Robert F. Wood	132	107	123	105	159	147	154	126	146	1199

***write-in candidate	Pct 1	Pct 2	Pct 3	Pct 4	Pct 5	Pct 6	Pct 7	Pct 8	Pct 9	TOTAL
Carol C. Cleven	187	143	185	152	237	222	243	186	211	1766
Nicholas Theochares	127	103	116	99	154	143	155	126	154	1177
Marguerite Waldron	130	106	125	103	151	146	169	129	146	1205
Ivor K. Clements	132	102	114	101	150	142	159	123	143	1166
Linda D. Marinel	130	119	125	107	153	156	162	129	139	1220
Phyllis May Huff	131	106	123	104	154	152	161	130	139	1200
Harry A. Foster	134	121	134	103	158	146	166	131	147	1240
Richard P. Tevlin	130	105	113	105	151	148	159	124	142	1177
GROUP 2										
Daphne G. Freeman	108	79	115	94	132	132	135	102	111	1008
Lewis L. Prager	70	59	72	65	94	76	94	72	80	682
Josephine A. Tambo	66	58	73	67	97	80	113	70	85	709
Nancy P. Clark	90	60	86	76	108	101	104	86	84	795
Janet F. Bonica***	6	4	0	0	0	2	3	2	7	24
John Warren***	3	0	1	3	0	0	1	2	3	13
W. Matthew Whiting***	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	6
All Others	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Blanks	5364	4694	5156	4998	6683	6240	6471	5200	5653	50459
TOTAL	8995	7630	8645	7910	10990	10395	10990	8750	9660	83965

WARRANT FOR THE ANNUAL TOWN MEETING
APRIL 5, 1988 and APRIL 25, 1988

IDDLESEX, SS.

o the constable, or any other suitable person of the Town of helmsford:

REETING

n the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid, you are hereby requested o notify and warn the legal voters of said Chelmsford to meet in heir several polling places, Viz:

Precinct 1. Town Office Building Gymnasium
Precinct 2. Harrington School Gymnasium
Precinct 3. Harrington School Gymnasium
Precinct 4. Westland School Cafeteria
Precinct 5. Byam School Cafetorium
Precinct 6. Westland School Cafeteria
Precinct 7. McCarthy Middle School, Small Gymnasium
Precinct 8. McCarthy Middle School, Small Gymnasium
Precinct 9. Town Office Building Gymnasium

On Tuesday, the fifth (5th) day of April, 1988 being the first Tuesday in said month, at 7:00 A.M., for the following purposes:

To bring in their vote for the following officers:
Two Selectmen for three years
One Member of the Board of Assessors for three years
One Member of Board of Health for three years
One Member of School Committee for three years
Two Public Library Trustees for three years
One Park Commissioner for three years
One Cemetery Commissioner for three years
One Member of Housing Authority for five years
Three Planning Board Members for three years
One Sewer Commissioner for three years
Nine Charter Commission Members

and to vote on the following questions:

Question 1.

Shall the Town of Chelmsford be allowed to assess an additional $1,347,385 in real estate and personal property taxes for the purposes of paying debt services on bonds and notes excluding bond issues already exempt from proposition two and one-half, so-called, and short-term borrowings in anticipation of revenues or of state or federal aid, for which the money from this assessment will be used for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1988?

Yes
No

Question 2.

Shall the Town of Chelmsford be allowed to exempt from the provisions of proposition two and one-half, so-called, the amounts required to pay for the bonds to be issued in order to acquire land for constructing an addition to the Adams Public Library?

Yes
No

Question 3.

Shall the Town of Chelmsford be allowed to exempt from the provisions of proposition two and one-half, so-called, the amounts required to pay for the bonds to be issued in order to construct an addition to the Adams Public Library and renovate the existing Adams Public Library?

Yes
No

Question 4.

"Shall a Commission be elected to frame a Charter for Chelmsford?"

Yes
No

Question 5.

THE QUESTION IS NONBINDING

Shall the Town of Chelmsford urge Town Meeting to petition the Great and General Court to consolidate its town departments into a department of Public Works and combine the three water districts into a single entity?

Yes
No

The polls will be open from 7:00 A.M. to 8:00 P.M.; and to meet in the McCarthy Middle School Gymnasium on Monday, the twenty-fifth (25th) day of April, 1988, at 7:30 P.M. in the evening, then and there to act upon the following Articles, Viz:

ARTICLE 1. To hear reports of the Town Officers and Committees; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 2. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Personnel Wage and Salary By-Law to be effective July 1, 1988 as follows:

1. Under Section 6, " Classification of Town Employees", amend Subsection (E) - "Wage and Salary Schedule" by deleting the existing schedule and substituting the following:

E. WAGE AND SALARY SCHEDULE
JULY 1, 1988 - JUNE 30, 1989

GRADE LEVEL	SALARY RANGE
1	8,070 - 10,047
1A	13,108 - 16,319
1B	14,816 - 18,446
1C	16,526 - 20,575
1D	19,945 - 24,832
2	25,075 - 31,218
3	33,623 - 41,861
4	38,753 - 48,248
5	43,884 - 54,636

2. Amend under Section 8 subtitled "Increases Within Grade Levels and Promotions" by adding a new paragraph (E):

(E) The total number of employees receiving more than a one step merit increase during the fiscal year shall not exceed 5 percent of the number of all employees under the jurisdiction of the Personnel Board.

3. Amend under section 7 subtitled "Hiring of New Employees" by adding a new paragraph (C):

(C) Part-time clerks to the Personnel Board, Historic District Commission, Finance Committee, Cable TV Commission, Traffic and Safety Committee and Council of Aging may be employed by the Town without a medical examination.

4. Amend under section 24 subtitled "Job Titles and Standard Rates of Wages and Salaries of the Personnel Wage and Salary By-Law" by deleting the following positions:

Administrative & Clerical
15. Administrative Assistant to The Planning Board

Recreation
1. Director/Youth Center
2. Clerk, Part-Time
6. Playground Supervisor
9. Youth Center Supervisor
10. Youth Center Leader

. Amend under section 24 subtitled "Job Titles and Standard Rates of Wages and Salaries of the Personnel Wage and Salary By-Law" by adding the following positions:

Administrative & Clerical
15. Human Resources Director
19. Assessor-Part Time

. Amend under section 24 subtitled "Job Titles and Standard Rates of Wages and Salaries of the Personnel Wage and Salary By-Law" by the renumbering the following positions:

Recreation
1. Waterfront Director
2. Swimming Instructor
3. Lifeguard
5. Recreation Specialist
6. Recreation Leader

and adding the following position:

Recreation
4. Program Supervisor

or act in relation therto

Personnel Board

ARTICLE -2A. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Personnel Wage and Salary By-Law by further amending Section 24, "Job Titles and Standard Rates for Wages and Salaries of the Personnel Wage and Salary By-Law", to conform to rates to pay negotiated by the Town with certain labor organizations, pursuant to General Laws Chapter 150E, and to reflect current salaries and grade levels under the Personnel By-Law as follows:

		7/87 7/88		7/88 - 6/89	
	ADMINISTRATIVE & CLERICAL	Current Level	Current Salary	Proposed Level	Proposed Salary
1.	Executive Secretary	5		5	
2.	Town Accountant	3		3	
3.	Veteran's Agent	2		2	
4.	Council of Aging Director	2		2	
5.	Assistant to Assessors	1D		1D	
6.	Assistant Town Clerk	2		2	
7.	Assistant Treasurer	2		2	
8.	Clerk, Senior	1C		1C	
9.	Clerk, Junior	1C		1C	
10.	Clerk, Part-Time	1A		1A	
11.	Town Counsel		$500 P.A.		$500 P.A.
12.	Board of Reg., Three Members		$500 EA.		$500 EA.
13.	Assistant Town Accountant	2		2	
14.	Admin. Assistant to the Executive Secretary	1D		1D	
15.	Human Resources Director	-		3	
16.	Town Clerk	3		3	
17.	Town Treasurer/Collector	3		3	
18.	Assessor	3		3	
19.	Assessor - Part-Time	1		1	

	7/87 7/88		7/88 - 6/89	
	Current Level	Current Salary	Proposed Level	Proposed Salary
CONSERVATION, PARKS & CEMETERY				
1. Cemetery Superintendent	2		2	
2. Supt. of Inspect and Pest Control		$1,250 P.A.		$1,250 P.A.
3. Landscaper - Park	1A		1A	
4. Laborer - Park	1A		1A	
5. Unskilled Laborer	#2, #3		#2, #3	
6. Skilled Forest Workman - Conservation	1A		1A	
7. Equipment Operator	1C		1C	
8. Park Superintendent	2		2	
CUSTODIAL				
1. Custodian	1B		1B	
LIBRARY				
1. Library Director	3		4	
2. Library Department Head	1D		1D	
3. Library Specialists	1C		1C	
4. Library Assistant	1B		1B	
5. Library Clerk	1A		1A	
6. Maintenance Assistant	1B		1B	
7. Page	#2, #3		#2, #3	
8. Library Assistant Director	2		2	
9. Maintenance Specialist	1C		1C	
HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT				
1. Highway Superintendent	3		3	
2. Highway Foreman	2		2	
TOWN FIRE DEPARTMENT				
1. Fire Chief	#2		#2	
2. Deputy Fire Chief	4		4	
3. Captain	#2		#2	
4. Truck Mechanic (Fire and Police)	2		2	
5. Auto Mechanic (Fire and Police)	1D		1D	
TOWN POLICE DEPARTMENT				
1. Police Chief	5		5	
2. Deputy Chief	4		4	
3. Captain	3		3	
4. Trainee	359.50 per week		359.50 per week	

	7/87 7/88		7/88 - 6/89	
	Current Level	Current Salary	Proposed Level	Proposed Salary
RECREATION				
1. Waterfront Director	1A		1A	
2. Swimming Instructor	1A		1A	
3. Lifeguard	1A		1A	
4. Program Supervisor	1B		1B	
5. Recreation Specialist	1A		1A	
6. Recreation Leader	1A		1A	
OTHER POSITION				
1. Building Inspector	3		3	
2. Electric Inspector	2		2	
3. Local Inspector	2		2	
4. Gas Inspector	#2	$8,500 P.A.	#2	$8,500 P.A.
5. Dog Officer	1D		1D	
6. Assistant Dog Officer	1A		1B	
7. Van Driver	1B		1B	
8. Sealer of Weights & Measures	#2	$2,000 P.A.	#2	$2,000 P.A.
9. Animal Inspector	#2	$1,000 P.A.	#2	$1,000 P.A.
10. Clock Winder	#2	$ 200 P.A.	#2	$ 200 P.A.
11. Town Engineer	3		3	
12. Assistant Town Engineer	2		2	
13. Respite Core Program Director	1D		1D	
14. Home Delivered Meals Coordinator	1A		1A	
15. Superintendent of Buildings	1D		1D	
16. Senior Citizens Activities Coordinator	1B		1B	

FOOTNOTES

#1 - Represented by Collective Bargaining
#2 - Not in "Job Rating Plan"
#3 - $4.25/Hr. first year, $4.75/Hr. second year, $5.25/Hr. third year

Or Act in relation thereto.

Personnel Board

ARTICLE 3. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Chapter 32B Section 7A as amended, "Shall the Town in addition to the payment of sixty percent of a premium for contributory group life and health insurance for employees in the service of the Town and their dependents, pay a subsidiary or additional rate?"; or act in relation thereto.

Petition

ARTICLE 4. To see if the Town will vote to pay 75% or some lesser percentage of the premiums for contributory group life and health insurance to town employees; or act in relation thereto.

Petition

ARTICLE 5. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of General Law Chapter 32B Section 10A authorizing any Town to provide dental benefits as part of group general or blanket insurance providing hospital, surgical, medical or other health insurance benefits for certain persons in the service of the Town and their dependents; or act in relation thereto.

Petition

ARTICLE 6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, transfer and appropriate from available funds, transfer and appropriate from the Stabilization Fund and/or borrow a certain sum of money to engage a private accounting firm to prepare an audit of all accounts in all departments in the Town of Chelmsford; or act in relation thereto.

Town Treasurer

ARTICLE 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer and appropriate from available funds a certain sum of money with which to meet bills of previous years; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

RTICLE 8. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of electmen to acquire by purchase, eminent domain or otherwise, the roperty in fee simple, with the buildings and trees thereon, located n the Town of Chelmsford, Massachusetts and further described as the roperty located on Bartlett Street, more particularly described in a eed recorded in the Middlesex North Registry of Deeds, Book 2176, age 504, for the purpose of constructing an addition to the Adams ublic Library, and to see if the Town will vote to raise and ppropriate, transfer and appropriate from available funds, transfer nd appropriate from the Stabilization Funds, transfer and ppropriate revenue sharing funds and/or borrow a certain sum of oney to defray all necessary costs, fees and expenses in connection ith the acquisition of said land and for paying any damages which ay be awarded as the result of any such taking; and to see if the own will vote to authorize the Board of Library Trustees with the onsent of the Board of Selectmen to negotiate and execute all ecessary and proper contracts and agreement thereto; and all ontracts to be made under the supervision of the Board of Selectmen. cceptance of this article and the expenditure of any funds uthorized by it shall be contingent upon approval by the Town of an xemption from Proposition 2 1/2 limitations to the extent of epaying any Principle and interest on the borrowing authorized erein. Approval for an exemption of Proposition 2 1/2 shall be by allot vote at either a state or local election as required by tatute; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Library Trustees

ARTICLE 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, transfer and appropriate from available funds, transfer and appropriate from the Stabilization Fund, transfer and appropriate revenue sharing funds and/or borrow a certain sum of money for the purpose of the design and construction of an addition to the Adams Public Library, and renovate the existing Adams Public Library, and for related legal, administrative, contractors, consultants, architectual, and other pertinent expenses, and to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Library Trustees, with the consent of the Board of Selectmen, to negotiate and execute all necessary and proper contracts and agreement thereto; and all contracts to be made under the supervision of the Board of Selectmen. Acceptance of this article and the expenditure of any funds authorized by it shall be contingent upon approval by the Town of an exemption from Proposition 2 1/2 limitations to the extent of repaying any principle of and interest on the borrowing authorized herein. Approval for an exemption of Proposition 2 1/2 shall be by ballot vote at either a state or local election as required by statute; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Library Trustees

ARTICLE 10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, transfer and appropriate from available funds, borrow or appropriate and transfer from the Stabilization Fund a certain sum of money for the completion of closure plan for Swain Road Landfill, including loaming and seeding: Groundwater monitoring and sampling as required by the Department of Environmental Quality Engineering (DEQE); Combustible gas monitoring as required by DEQE; and miscellaneous site work not previously anticipated; and to determine how any such appropriation shall be raised, whether by transfer from available funds, by taxation, by borrowing or otherwise, and if by borrowing, the Treasurer with the approval of the Board of Selectmen be authorized to borrow under G.L. Chapter 44, as amended and supplemented, and to issue and sell general obligation bonds or notes of the Town therefore; that the Board of Health be authorized to apply for, accept and expend any state and federal grants and local monies that may be available for the project; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Health

ARTICLE 11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer and appropriate from available funds a certain sum of money for the purpose of implementing a Traffic Control Division within the Police Department; or act in relation thereto.

Police Department

ARTICLE 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, transfer and appropriate from available funds, transfer and appropriate from the Stabilization Fund and/or borrow by bond or note a certain sum of money for the purpose of purchasing Five (5) Police cruisers for the Police Department and to sell by good and sufficient bill of sale five (5) obsolete vehicles; and to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to negotiate and execute all necessary and proper contracts and agreements thereto, and all contracts to be made under the Supervision of the Board of Selectmen; or act in relation thereto.

Police Department

ARTICLE 13. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $1,711,575.00 for the following capital projects:

DEPT.	ITEM	COST APPROXIMATION
SCHOOL	ASBESTOS REMOVAL McCARTHY AUDITORIUM	$ 52,500.00
SCHOOL	ASBESTOS MATERIALS STUDY PLAN FOR ALL BLDGS.	$ 125,000.00
SCHOOL	HANDICAP ACCESSIBILITY TO INNER BLDG. AREAS AT WESTLAND, HARRINGTON, PARKER, HIGH SCHOOL	$ 35,000.00

DEPT.	ITEM	COST APPROXIMATION
SCHOOL	BOYS LOCKER ROOM AT HIGH SCHOOL REPAIRS	$ 160,000.00
SCHOOL	McCARTHY ROOFS RECOATED	$ 7,500.00
SCHOOL	STUDENT FURNITURE REPLACED (500 units)	$ 30,000.00
SCHOOL	PANIC HARDWARE REPLACED AT FIVE SCHLS.	$ 60,000.00
SCHOOL	PARKER GYM FLOOR REPLACED	$ 75,000.00
SCHOOL	P.A. CONTROL BOARDS REPLACED AT BYAM & SO. ROW	$ 15,000.00
SCHOOL	CARPETING/TITLE WORK IN OPEN CLASSROOM AREA (BYAM)	$ 50,000.00
SCHOOL	RESEAL H.V.A.C. UNITS ON ROOM AT HIGH SCHOOL	$ 18,000.00
SCHOOL	DRAINAGE AND PAVING WORK IN WASHED OUT AREA AT BYAM	$ 35,000.00
SCHOOL	ADD DISC DRIVE TO VAX SYSTEM	$ 18,000.00
SCHOOL	COMPUTER TERMINALS IN MATH LAB./SOME ADMINISTRATIVE TERMINALS REPLACED TOO	$ 35,000.00
SEWER	DRAINAGE PROJECTS	$ 165,000.00
SEWER	OFFICE COMPUTER EQUIPMENT 7 MAINT. CONTRACT	$ 67,500.00
FIRE	MOBIL RADIOS REPLACED	$ 10,000.00
FIRE	SERVICE TRUCK REPLACED	$ 20,000.00
TRAFFIC SAFETY	LIGHTS AT HUNT RD./LITTLETON RD. INSTALLED	$ 120,000.00
TRAFFIC SAFETY	IMPROVEMENTS AT GOLDEN COVE RD./ BILLERICA RD.	$ 20,000.00
SELECTMEN	CENTRAL TELEPHONE SYSTEM AT TOWN OFC. BUILDING	$ 40,000.00
HIGHWAY	STREET RESURFACING WORK	$ 426,000.00
HIGHWAY	DIESEL 4 WHL. DRIVE BACKHOE	$ 60,000.00
HIGHWAY	DIESEL DUMP TRUCK	$ 47,000.00
LIBRARY	McINTOSH COMPUTER FOR ADMINISTRATIVE USE	$ 8,000.00
CEMETERY	REPLACE 4 WHL. DRIVE TRACTOR/LOADER	$ 12,075.00
	TOTAL	$1,711,575.00

and to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, transfer and appropriate from available funds, transfer and appropriate from the Stabilization Fund, transfer and appropriate from revenue sharing funds and/or authorize the Treasurer, to borrow the sum of $1,711,575.00 to fund these obligations, with the approval of the Selectmen, pursuant to General Laws Chapter 44, Section 07; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen
Capital Planning

ARTICLE 14. To if the Town will vote to direct the Board of Selectmen to petition the Great and General Court of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to enact Special Legislation establishing a Town of Chelmsford Public Works Department; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 15. To see if the Town will vote to direct the Board of Selectmen to petition the Great and General Court of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to combine the three(3) Water Districts currently existing in the Town of Chelmsford into a single entity to be known as the Chelmsford Water Department operating under the control of Town Meeting, which would have the right to establish rates and budgets, authorized bonding, take property and determine organization, or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be required to defray Town charges for the fiscal period from July 1, 1988 to June 30, 1989; or act in relation thereto.

Town Treasurer

ARTICLE 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a certain sum of money to be used as a Reserve Fund at the discretion of the Finance Committee, as provided in General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 6; or act in relation thereto.

Finance Committee

ARTICLE 18. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, to enter into compensating balance agreements, during fiscal 1989, as permitted by General Laws Chapter 41, Section 53F; or act in relation thereto.

Town Treasurer

ARTICLE 19. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Board of Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning July 1, 1988; in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 4, and to issue a note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 17 and 17 (a); or act in relation thereto.

Town Treasurer

ARTICLE 20. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Chelmsford Zoning By-Law by deleting the present zoning map and substituting the redrafted map proposed by the Planning Board, as filed with the Town Clerk, and displayed at the Annual Town Meeting; or act in relation thereto.

Planning Board

RTICLE 21. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of electmen, for consideration to be determined, to convey and transfer ll rights, title, and interest, if any held by the Town, in a ertain parcel of land on Kevin and Brian Road shown as Lots 46, 47, 6 and 57, on Assessors' Map 168; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

RTICLE 22. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of electmen, for consideration to be determined, to convey and transfer ll rights, title, and interest, if any held by the Town, in a ertain parcel of land on Kevin Road, shown as Lot 45, Assessors' Map 68 being the premises described by an instrument, recorded in iddlesex North District Registry of Deeds in Book 4046, Page 331; or ct in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

RTICLE 23. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for consideration to be determined, to convey and transfer all rights, title, and interest, if any held by the Town, in certain parcel of land on Elton Road, shown as Lots 46 and 47, on Assessors' Map 45; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

RTICLE 24. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for consideration to be determined, with said consideration being set by bid or auction of said property hereinafter described to convey and transfer all right, title, and interest, if any held by the town, in a certain parcel of land on North Road, shown as Lot 55, on Assessors' Map 168; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

RTICLE 25. To see if the Town will vote to accept the following mentioned street, as laid out by the Board of Selectmen and shown by their reports duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk:

1. Higate Road

Providing all the construction of the same meets with the requirements of the Board of Selectmen, and subject to the withholding of any remaining bonds until such requirements have been met and to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to acquire any and all temporary and/or permanent easements, and any property in fee simple, with trees thereon, by purchase, eminent domain, or otherwise, for the purpose of securing traffic safety and road improvements, and to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, transfer and appropriate from available funds, transfer and appropriate from the Stabilization Fund, and/or borrow a certain sum of money to defray all necessary costs, fees and expenses in connection with the acquisition of said land and for paying any damages which may be awarded as a result of any such taking; and to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to negotiate and execute all necessary and proper contracts and agreements thereto; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 26. To see if the Town will vote to accept the following mentioned street, as laid out by the Board of Selectmen and shown by their reports duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk:

1. Autumn Lane

Providing all the construction of the same meets with the requirements of the Board of Selectmen, and subject to the withholding of any remaining bonds until such requirements have been met and to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to acquire any and all temporary and/or permanent easements, and any property in fee simple, with trees thereon, by purchase, eminent domain, or otherwise, for the property located therein described herewith, for the purpose of securing traffic safety and road improvements, and to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, transfer and appropriate from available funds, transfer and appropriate from the Stabilization Fund, and/or borrow a certain sum of money to defray all necessary costs, fees and expenses in connection with the acquisition of said land and for paying any damages which may be awarded as a result of any such taking; and to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to negotiate and execute all necessary and proper contract and agreements thereto; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 27. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the School Committee to transfer, release, or otherwise convey the care, custody, management and control, and all other right, title and interest, if any, in the parcels of land as shown on a plan of land entitled "Plan of Sewer Easements/Chelmsford Schools" prepared by Howe Engineering, dated March, 1988, said plan being on file with the Town Engineer and incorporated herewith, to the Board of Selectmen, for the use by the Town of Chelmsford, for the purpose of constructing and maintaining gravity sewers, force mains and all other appurtenances thereto; or act in relation thereto.

School Committee

ARTICLE 28. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to convey all right, title and interest, if any, in the parcels of land as shown on a plan of land entitled "Plan of Sewer Easements/Chelmsford Schools" prepared by Howe Engineering, dated March, 1988, said plan being on file with the Town Engineer and incorporated herewith, to the Chelmsford Sewer Commission and/or Chelmsford Center Industrial Sewer District, as the case may be, for purposes of constructing sewers, force mains, and maintaining gravity sewers, force mains and all other appurtenances thereto; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 29. To see if the Town of Chelmsford will vote to accept provisions of Section 12 of Chapter 188 of the Acts of 1985 the School Improvement Act, in relation to the Equal Educational Opportunity Grant in the amount of Seventeen Thousand Nine Hundred Twenty Dollars ($17,920.00), for the Nashoba Valley Technical High School, conditioned upon the funding of said programs by any source other than the Town of Chelmsford, and further conditioned upon, to the extent permitted by law, that said professional grant programs, and any monies paid to any employee of the Nashoba Valley Technical High School, shall not be used or considered a past practice for the purpose of collective bargaining and shall be nonrecurring lump sum payment not built into school employees salary schedules; or act in relation thereto.

Nashoba Valley Technical
High School District Committee

ARTICLE 30. To see if the Town will vote to accept The Special Legislation dated November 30, 1987 entitled "An Act To Establish The Chelmsford - Carlisle Regional Conservation District in the Town of Chelmsford and Carlisle" a copy of which is on file in the Office of the Conservation Commission of The Town of Chelmsford, said Special Legislation creating a Conservation District to encompass the property purchased by the Town of Chelmsford and the Town of Carlisle known as the Cranberry Bogs; and further described in a deed conveyed to the Town of Chelmsford, recorded in Middlesex North Registry of Deeds, Book 3841, Page 244, and The Town of Carlisle recorded in the Middlesex North Registry of Deeds, Book 3841, Page 268; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen
Conservation Commission

RTICLE 31. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of electmen and/or the Sewer Commissioners to acquire any and all emporary and/or permanent easements, and any property in fee simple ith the buildings and trees thereon by purchase, eminent domain, or therwise, for the property located in the Town of Chelmsford, assachusetts, and further described and shown on a set of plans, ntitled "Plan of Sewer Easement in Chelmsford, Massachusetts, Center nterceptor Sewer", prepared for the Chelmsford Sewer Commission, arch, 1988, scale 1 inch = 40 feet, by Howe Surveying, copies of hich are on file in the office of the Town Engineer and are ncorporated herewith, for the purpose of constructing and aintaining gravity sewers, force mains, pumping stations, and all ther appurtenances thereto, and to see if the Town will vote to aise and appropriate, transfer and appropriate from available funds, ransfer and appropriate from the Stabilization Fund, transfer and ppropriate revenue sharing funds and/or borrow a certain sum of oney to defray all necessary costs, fees and expenses in connection ith the acquisition of said land and for paying any damages which ay be awarded as the result of any such taking; or act in relation hereto.

Board of Selectmen
Sewer Commission

RTICLE 32. To see if the Town will vote to amend the General By-Laws, Article VI, Police Regulations by adding the following: Section 21. Prohibition of Hunting and Trapping:

Section 21. Prohibition of Hunting and Trapping

1. It shall be prohibited and unlawful for any person to Hunt or to Trap fur bearing mammals within the Town of Chelmsford.

2. The definitions set forth in General Law Chapter 131, Section 1 of "to Hunt" and "to Trap", as said act applies to fur bearing mammals, are incorporated herewith.

3. The Police Department and/or Animal Control Officer of Chelmsford shall be authorized to enforce this By-Law pursuant to Article 1 of the Town of Chelmsford General By-Laws.

4. The fine for each violation of this section shall be Three Hundred Dollars ($300.00), with each violation constituting a separate offense. Said violations shall be punishable as provided in Article 1 of the Town of Chelmsford General By-Laws.

or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen
Conservation Commission

RTICLE 33. To see if the Town will vote pursuant to General Law hapter 82, Section 21, that public convenience and necessity require hat a portion of Swain Road as hereinafter described shall be iscontinued and all public rights in any and all portions of said treets, and/or Town ways relative to said street shall be henceforth iscontinued and abandoned; said street is more particularly escribed as follows:

That portion of Swain Road as shown on a Plan of Relocation of Swain Road on file with the Town Clerk.

nd to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, or consideration to be determined, to convey and transfer, all ight, title and interest, if any, held by the Town in the above arcel of the land located on the discontinued portion of said ay/road, to the abutters of said property; or act in relation hereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 34. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Board of ssessors to issue a certain amount of money from Free Cash in the reasury for the reduction of the tax rate; or act in relation hereto.

Finance Committee

ereof fail not and make return of this Warrant with your
oings at the time and place of said meeting. Given unto
ur hands this 17th day of March, A.D. 1988.

Roger A. Blomgren, Chairman

Henrick R. Johnson, Vice Chairman

Bonita A. Towle, Clerk

Dennis J. Ready, Member

John P. Emerson, Member

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

MIDDLESEX, SS. MARCH 18, 1988

Pursuant to the within Warrant, I have notified and warned the Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford by positing up attested copies of same at the following places, to wit: The New Town Office Building Gym; Harrington Elementary School Gymnasium; Harrington Elementary School Gymnasium; Westland School Cafeteria; Byam School Cafeteria; Westland School Cafeteria; Harrington Elementary School Gymnasium; McCarthy Middle School, Small Gymnasium; South Row School Cafeteria; South Row School Cafeteria; Westlands School Cafeteria; McCarthy Middle School, Small Gymnasium seven days at least before the time appointed for holding the meeting aforesaid.

William E. Spence

William E. Spence
Constable of Chelmsford

A True Copy Attest, William E. Spence

William E. Spence, Constable of Chelmsford

WARRANT FOR SPECIAL TOWN MEETING
MAY 9, 1988

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

IDDLESEX, SS.

o the Constable, or any other suitable person of the Town of helmsford.

n the name of the Commonwealth, aforesaid, you are hereby equested to notify and warn the legal voters of said Chelmsford o meet in the McCarthy Middle School Gymnasium on Monday vening, the nineth day of May, 1988, at 8:00 p.m., then and here to act upon the following Articles, Vix:

ARTICLE 1. To see if the Town will vote to transfer and ppropriate from available funds a certain sum of money to the ighway Department, Line 81. Salary; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 2. To see if the Town will vote to transfer and ppropriate from available funds a certain sum of money to nsurance (Life and Medical), Line Item 139. Expense; or act in elation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 3. To see if the Town will vote to transfer and ppropriate from available funds a certain sum of money to rticle 9 of The Annual Town Meeting of 1988, to complete onstruction of The Dog Pound; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 4. To see if The Town will vote to transfer and appropriate from available funds a certain sum of money to Data Processing, Line Item 146; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 5. To see if the Town will vote to transfer a certain sum of money from the sale of graves and lots to the Cemetary Improvement and Development Fund; or act in relation thereto.

Cemetary Commission

ARTICLE 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for consideration to be determined, to convey and transfer all rights, title, and interest, if any held by the Town, in a certain parcel of land on Shore Drive shown as Lot 76, on Assessors' Map 45; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 7. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for consideration to be determined to convey and transfer all rights, title, and interest, if any held by the Town, in a certain parcel of land on Shore Drive shown as Lot 5, on Assessors' Map 45; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 8. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen; for consideration to be determined, to convey and transfer all rights, title, and interest, if any held by the Town, in a certain parcel of land off Acton Road shown as Lot 86 on Assessors' Map 229; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 9. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the School Committee to transfer, release, or otherwise convey the care, custody, management and control, and all other right, title and interest, if any, in the parcels of land as shown on a plan of land entitled "Plan of Right of Way/Chelmsford Schools", dated April, 1988, said plan being on file with the Town Engineer and incorporated herewith, to the Board of Selectmen; or act in relation thereto.

School Committee

ARTICLE 10. To see if the Town will vote pursuant to General Law Chapter 82, Section 21, that public convenience and necessity require that a portion of right of way on McCarthy Junior High School as hereinafter described shall be discontinued and all public rights in any and all portions of said Streets, and/or Town ways relative to said street shall be henceforth described as follows:

> That portion of Right of Way as shown on a "Plan of Right of Way/Chelmsford School" dated April, 1988 on file with the Town Engineer.

and to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for consideration to be determined, to convey and transfer, all right, title and interest, if any, held by the Town in the above parcel of the land located on the discontinued portion of said way/road, to the abutters of said property; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 11. To see if The Town will vote to transfer and appropriate a certain sum of money from the unexpended proceeds of the amount authorized by Article 13 of The Annual Town Meeting of 1986, for Capital Improvements throughout The Town and Capital Improvements for the School Department as recommended at The Special Town Meeting by the Capital Planning Committee; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen
Capital Planning

ARTICLE 12. To see if The Town will vote to transfer and appropriate from available funds a certain sum of money to The Charter Commission expense account, pursuant, to G. L. C.43B; Section 8; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 13. To see if The Town will vote to reaffirm the vote of Article 10 of The Special Town Meeting of May 11, 1987 and vote to petition The Great and General Court to enact special legislation to form a Special Conservation, Recreation, District between The Town of Chelmsford and The Town of Carlisle for the operation, administration, maintenance of property, known as The Lowell Cranberry Bog, in the Town of Chelmsford and Carlisle; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen
Conservation Commission

ARTICLE 14. To see if The Town will vote as follows:

"The Zoning Map and accompanying ordinance passed and as most recently amended entitled "Zoning By-Laws of the Town of Chelmsford" is hereby amended by establishing new lines and striking out the designation "Residential "B"" (RB) District, as shown on said zone map and substituting in place thereof new lines and designation "Residential Multiple Family" (RM) District, insofar as said zone map relates to the following described premises:

A certain parcel of land, situated on the southerly side of Littleton Road (Route 110), Chelmsford, Massachusetts, being shown as a parcel containing 15.1 acres on a plan of land entitled "Plan of Land in Chelmsford, Mass., surveyed for Joseph Solomont" Scale 1" - 80', Feb. 8, 1957, Dana F. Perkins & Sons, Inc., Civil Engineers and Surveyors, Reading, Mass., which plan is recorded with Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds in Book of Plans 88, Plan 176, being bounded and described as follows:

NORTHERLY by said Littleton Road (Route 110), six hundred fifty-five and 97/100 (655.97) feet;

ASTERLY by land of Theodore W. Emerson, as shown on said plan, now or formerly land of Chelmsford Elks, Inc., nine hundred forty-eight and 40/100 (948.40) feet;

OUTHERLY by land now or formerly of Harold Becker, one hundred three and 81/100 (103.81) feet, and also by land of Arthur Burtt, as shown on said plan, now or formerly land of Charles H. Hopkins, Jr., et ux, by three courses by a stone wall, a total distance of five hundred seventy and 78/100 (570.78) feet; and

ESTERLY by land of MacCormick, as shown on said plan, now or formerly of Old Chelmsford Garrison House Association, Inc., by two courses, in part by a stone wall, a total distance of seven hundred seventy-eight and 15/100 (778.15) feet, and also by land of Stockton as shown on said plan, two hundred thirty-seven and 24/100 (237.24) feet.";

or act in relation hereto petition.

Planning Board

ARTICLE 15. To see if the Town will vote to accept the conveyance by the Chelmsford Housing Authority to Town of Chelmsford of a parcel of land and buildings theron, known as the North Town Hall and being described in a deed from Benjamin Adams and Thomas J. Adams, to the Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford, recorded in Middlesex North Registry of Deeds at Book 18, Page 33, and Middlesex South Registry of Deeds at Book 659, Page 495, with said property to be vested in the authority and control of the Board of Selectmen and to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectment for consideration to be determined, to convey all right, title and interest, if any, held by the Town in a parcel of land and buildings theron, known as the North Town Hall, and being described in a deed dated February 1, 1853, from Benjamin Adams and Thomas J. Adams, to the Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford, recorded in Middlesex North Registry of Deeds at Book 18, Page 33 and Middlesex South Registry of Deeds at Book 659, Page 495; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant with your doings at the time and place of said meeting. Given unto our hands this 14th day of April, A.D. 1988.

Dennis J. Ready, Chairman

Henrick R. Johnson, Jr. Vice Chairman

Bonita A. Towle, Clerk

Bradford O. Emerson, Member

Roger A. Blomgren, Member

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

IDDLESEX, SS. APRIL 21, 1988

ursuant to the within Warrant, I have notified and warned the nhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford by posting up attested opies of same at the following places, to wit: The New Town ffice Building Gymnasium; Harrington Elementary School ymnasium; Harrington Elementary School Gymnasium; Westland chool Cafeteria; Byam School Cafeteria; Westland School afeteria; Harrington Elementary School Gymnasium; McCarthy iddle School, Small Gymnasium; South Row School Cafeteria; outh Row School Cafeteria; Westlands School Cafeteria; McCarthy iddle School, Small Gymnasium fourteen days at least before the ime appointed for holding the meeting aforesaid.

William E. Spence

William E. Spence
Constable of Chelmsford

True Copy Attest, William E. Spence

William E. Spence, Constable of Chelmsford

*indicates Candidate for re-election

	Pct 1	Pct 2	Pct 3	Pct 4	Pct 5	Pct 6	Pct 7	Pct 8	Pct 9	TOTAL
SELECTMAN (2) 3 yrs										
Bonita Towle*	541	426	575	551	571	588	646	480	573	4951
Bradford O. Emerson	508	457	539	515	579	594	673	475	543	4883
All Others	0	2	0	0	4	1	3	0	0	10
Blanks	615	551	682	618	762	685	890	637	732	6172
TOTAL	1664	1436	1796	1684	1916	1868	2212	1592	1848	16016
ASSESSOR 3 yrs										
Richard P. Tevlin	374	310	440	373	447	368	485	350	545	3692
Joseph B. Shanahan Sr	361	310	330	379	379	429	435	327	294	3244
Blanks	97	98	128	90	132	137	186	119	85	1072
TOTAL	832	718	898	842	958	934	1106	796	924	8008
BOARD OF HEALTH 3 yrs										
Paul F. McCarthy*	615	532	665	632	705	688	766	593	662	5858
Blanks	217	186	233	210	253	246	340	203	262	2150
TOTAL	832	718	898	842	958	934	1106	796	924	8008
SCHOOL COMMITTEE 3 yrs										
Nicholas G. Gavriel*	311	256	299	318	297	341	384	281	317	2804
Barbara H. Ward	447	383	511	433	591	500	603	444	530	4442
Blanks	74	79	88	91	70	93	119	71	77	762
TOTAL	832	718	898	842	958	934	1106	796	924	8008
LIBRARY TRUSTEE 3 yrs (2)										
Susan G. Cantin*	514	451	578	554	574	597	659	473	587	4987
Mark W. Gauthier*	525	460	584	536	570	594	687	496	553	5005
Blanks	625	525	634	594	772	677	866	623	708	6024
TOTAL	1664	1436	1796	1684	1916	1868	2212	1592	1848	16016
PARK COMMISSIONER 3 yrs **write-in candidates										
Robert L. Wetmore **	8	26	27	7	31	8	19	38	8	172
Walter L. KivlanIII**	8	0	19	126	24	175	7	19	8	386
All Others	2	8	4	1	6	3	11	2	2	39
Blanks	814	684	848	708	897	748	1069	737	906	7411
TOTAL	832	718	898	842	958	934	1106	796	924	8008
CEMETERY COMMISSIONER 3 yrs										
Everett V. Olsen*	582	536	662	606	645	665	743	565	625	5629
All Others	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	2
Blanks	250	182	236	236	312	268	363	231	299	2377
TOTAL	832	718	898	842	958	934	1106	796	924	8008

*indicates candidate for re-election

	Pct 1	Pct 2	Pct 3	Pct 4	Pct 5	Pct 6	Pct 7	Pct 8	Pct 9	TOTAL
HOUSING AUTHORITY 5 yrs										
Robert L. Hughes*	551	478	619	574	618	640	687	523	578	5268
All Others	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
Blanks	281	240	279	268	339	294	419	273	346	2739
TOTAL	832	718	898	842	958	934	1106	796	924	8008
PLANNING BOARD 3 yrs (3)										
James P. Good	483	386	483	473	550	554	603	432	593	4557
Rosalind M. Boyle*	339	288	425	351	405	432	481	365	400	3486
Kim J. MacKenzie*	393	350	434	384	477	481	548	367	445	3879
Christine A. Gleason	419	368	526	433	511	481	539	443	476	4196
All Others	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
Blanks	862	762	826	885	930	854	1147	781	858	7905
TOTAL	2496	2154	2694	2526	2874	2802	3318	2388	2772	24024
SEWER COMMISSIONER 3 yrs										
Barry B. Balan*	589	502	637	581	630	674	721	537	618	5489
Blanks	243	216	261	261	328	260	385	259	306	2519
TOTAL	832	718	898	842	958	934	1106	796	924	8008
CHARTER COMMISSION MEMBERS (9)										
Paul F. Ahern	323	238	325	306	407	303	383	279	342	2906
Cheryl A. Boss	238	195	321	281	311	282	381	312	247	2568
Robert R. Charpentier	252	198	285	254	228	350	308	218	251	2344
William F. Dalton	190	187	188	180	178	193	178	180	148	1622
Phyllis M. Elias	254	177	271	248	384	268	374	243	370	2589
James M. Geary Jr	370	283	405	346	383	460	511	360	368	3486
Robert P. Joyce	353	147	181	228	217	220	234	172	303	2055
Mary Ann Koulas	232	178	241	237	306	258	381	223	237	2293
David J. McLachlan	249	155	228	224	289	321	337	231	220	2254
Thomas D. Miskell	133	253	185	157	133	140	126	220	122	1469
John W. Peters	200	155	259	198	220	319	361	199	236	2147
Frederick H. Reid	274	232	243	276	384	311	306	238	243	2507
Patricia A. Saber	188	122	158	164	241	161	177	152	296	1659
Mary E. St.Hilaire	443	374	494	448	422	545	576	416	473	4191
Jonathan C. Stubbs	129	113	213	96	135	122	182	130	140	1260
JOhn T. Warren	240	173	201	317	268	325	259	207	263	2253
Cheryl Warshafsky	226	181	261	252	338	298	328	229	284	2397
Blanks	3194	3101	3623	3366	3778	3530	4552	3155	3773	32072
TOTAL	7488	6462	8082	7578	8622	8406	9954	7164	8316	72072

	Pct 1	Pct 2	Pct 3	Pct 4	Pct 5	Pct 6	Pct 7	Pct 8	Pct 9	TOTAL
QUESTION 1										
Yes	337	215	433	269	432	372	507	319	395	3279
No	479	491	455	560	512	549	590	463	516	4615
Blanks	16	12	10	13	14	13	9	14	13	114
TOTAL	832	718	898	842	958	934	1106	796	924	8008
QUESTION 2										
Yes	313	202	400	268	385	362	484	263	390	3067
No	506	507	482	555	551	556	604	509	520	4790
Blanks	13	9	16	19	22	16	18	24	14	151
TOTAL	832	718	898	842	958	934	1106	796	924	8008
QUESTION 3										
Yes	308	197	400	254	370	365	491	268	399	3052
No	503	504	470	560	561	545	592	506	503	4744
Blanks	21	17	28	28	27	24	23	22	22	212
TOTAL	832	718	898	842	958	934	1106	796	924	8008
QUESTION 4										
Yes	528	329	570	424	563	567	686	427	569	4663
No	259	347	272	372	334	319	344	313	303	2863
Blanks	45	42	56	46	61	48	76	56	52	482
TOTAL	832	718	898	842	958	934	1106	796	924	8008
QUESTION 5										
Yes	500	239	554	431	595	567	706	372	585	4549
No	289	450	294	368	298	312	327	373	290	3001
Blanks	43	29	50	43	65	55	73	51	49	458
TOTAL	832	718	898	842	958	934	1106	796	924	8008

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

April 25, 1988

The Annual Town Meeting was called to order at the McCarthy Middle chool Gymnasium at 8:00 PM, by the Moderator Dennis McHugh, who ecgnized the presence of a quorum. There were 532 voters present.

Selectman Dennis J. Ready moved that the reading of the Constable's etion of service and posting of the warrant be waived. It was so voted, naimously. Selectman Ready moved that the reading of the entire warrant ie aived. It was so voted, unanimously.

The Moderator then asked permission from the Town Meeting body to illw Bernard Lynch, Thomas Carroll, and William Mullen to speak when iecssary. These people are non residents who work for the Town and may iav to explain an article. Motion carried.

The Moderator then pointed out the fire exits, and explained that the iewy elected Charter Commissioner's had passed out a survey form, he iskd the Body to fill it out and return it to the boxes so marked. The Modrator then read a list of the Students elected as participants to the Apr1 28, 1988 Student Government Day activities. They are as follows

Board of Selectman
Mar Gilboard
Peter Hocknell
Scott Nussbum
Craig Richardson
Heil White

Board of Health
Alison Adamian
Christopher Chew
Stacey Kelley

Tow Clerk
Pat. Ricciardi

School Committee
Stacey Hallal
Shannon Barry
John Duggan
Leslie Kraham
David Regan

State Senator
Kevin Groman

State Representative
Katy Wood

Board of Assessors
Boo Cruickshank
Michelle Kaczowka
Karen McClure

Planning Board
Rick Burtt
Cathy Kaczowka
Dawn Wholey

Hosing Authority
Ki Marsella
Laren Thomas

Town Accountant
Jack Wang

Police Chief
Ryn Kuchler
Beh Scoville, **Ass't**

Fire Chief
David Beaton
Frank Sorracco, **Ass't**

Sut. of Streets
Jennifer Simard

Cemetery Supt.
Michael Smith

Wiring Inspector
Gregg Silver

Building Inspector
Don Hearn

pt of Public Buildings
n ing

Supt. of Schools
Mary Dukakis

ec Secretary Bd of Selectman
ic a Olenshak

Town Aide
Nancy Shaw

na ce Committee
sc Howard
na Shah
ck Mecuri

Veternan's Agent
Kim Corcoran

wr engineer
ja i Sharma

Sewer Commissioners
John Edwards
Julie Lee
Dana Klayner

ibnry Trustess
en Atkinson
na Makovoz

Treasurer/Tax Collector
Neil Costa

he Students were present and given a round of applause. A moment of il nce was asked for by the Moderator, in honor of Claude A. Harvey, who as d away August 14, 1987. At various times Mr Harvey held the elected ff ce of Selectman, Assessor, Member of the Housing Authority, and other pp inted offices. The Moderator then explained the Town Meeting ro edure to the voters present.

UNDER ARTICLE 1 Selectman Dennis J. Ready moved that the Town hear ep rts of the Town Officers and Committees.

Selectman Ready moved to hear nominations from the floor for the ar ey Playground Commission. Motion carried. Selectman Ready moved to om nate Donald T. Wholey for a three year term. The Moderator asked for ny more nominations, hearing none he declared that nominations were lo ed. The Moderator then asked for a voice vote on Donald T. Wholey as om issioner for three years, it was so voted, unanimously.

The Moderator moved to recess the Annual Town Meeting at 8:10 PM in rd r to conduct a Public Budget Hearing of Federal Revenue Sharing Funds. ot on carried, unanimously.

Dwight Hayward, Chairman of the Finance Committee discussed the ed ral Revenue Sharing amount. The amount is $7200.00 and it is the nt rest from the monies received over the years. It will be used in is al year 1988-1989, and should be allocated to the salary line item nd r the Highway Department. He then moved that the sum $7200.00 be used o educe the salary account of the Highway Department. The Moderator sk d for any discussion or questions, hearing none, he asked for a voice ot , motion carried, unanimously. The Moderator asked if there was any ur her discussion needed. Hearing none, he declared the meeting closed, nd reconvened the Annual Town Meeting at 8:15 PM.

Dwight Hayward then gave a brief explaintion of the Town's financial it uation, and the Finance Committee's position.

William Dalton presented to James Harrington, Town Counsel a proposal s d by the Town of Tewksbury concerning the order of articles being taken p on the night of Town Meeting,(lottery system). He felt that this would v id special interest groups appearing on the night that "their article" a to be voted. He asked that Town Counsel report at the next adjourned e ting if this system could be used for Chelmsford.

NDER ARTICLE 2 Alan Murphy, Chairman of the Personnel Board explained ie ifferent areas that were going to be amended within this by-law. The .nance Committee and the Board of Selectmen both recommended the article. .lliam Dalton asked questions concerning the wording of the article and ie eed for a Personnel Director at this time, considering the financial itution. Selectman Bradford Emerson felt that this would become an xpesive department down the road once the funding of a state grant was ver Was there really a need? Selectman Roger Blomgren explained that nis position was necessary. He showed graphics which broke down the job escription showing the areas where money would be saved in the long run. e then moved the question to stop debate. The Moderator asked for a oic vote, which left the chair in doubt, he then asked for a show of and , motion defeated. James Doukszwicz, Town Treasurer, spoke in favor f the Personnel Director. His office handles the medical insurance via ayroll deduction for all the Town Employees, plus all the retired Town mployees who make over the counter payments. Any notice of increases or harge in the policies are also sent from his office. This is very time onsuming and is an area that the Personnel Director should handle. ichard Jerome spoke against the line item, however he felt that perhaps he Selectmen may want to amend the article to read that the position ould only be for one year to see if the need is really there. Selectman eary said that the grant requires the Town vote to fund 25% of the salary his year. Next year the town would have to vote to fund 50% of the alary. At that time the voters could decide if the need is there. electman Johnson said that the need is there, however the Town just can't fford to hire an individual at this time when we will be laying off other mployees. A voice vote was taken on the article, motion defeated. Norman eBecque moved to reconsider the article. The Finance Commmittee and oard of Selectmen were in favor of reconsideration. Alan Murphy spoke in avor. A voice vote was taken motion carried. Selectman Johnson moved to elete Line item 15 in section 5 Human Resource Director. The Finance was gainst the motion. A voice vote was taken, motion defeated. The voice ot was quesitoned. The Moderator asked for a show of hands, motion arried. The show of hands was questioned, an actual hand count was equested. The following tellers came forward and a hand count was taken:

ocelyn Anthony	David McLachlan	Norman LeBrecque
argaret Johnson	Jane Drury	Linda Allen
dward Hilliard	Michael Anthony	Jack Peters
alter Cleven		Judy Hass

esult: Yes 228 No 175 motion carried to amend.

he Moderator asked for a voice vote on the main motion as amended, otion carried.

rticle 2 reads as follows:

Alan Murphy moved that the Town vote to amend the Personnel Wage and Salary By-Law to be effective July 1, 1988 as follows:

1. Under Section 6, " Classification of Town Employees", amend Subsection (E) - "Wage and Salary Schedule" by deleting the existing schedule and substituting the following:

E. WAGE AND SALARY SCHEDULE
JULY 1, 1988 - JUNE 30, 1989

GRADE LEVEL	SALARY RANGE
1	8,070 - 10,047
1A	13,108 - 16,319
1B	14,816 - 18,446
1C	16,526 - 20,575
1D	19,945 - 24,832
2	25,075 - 31,218
3	33,623 - 41,861
4	38,753 - 48,248
5	43,884 - 54,636

2. Amend under Section 8 subtitled "Increases Within Grade Levels and Promotions" by adding a new paragraph (E):

(E) The total number of employees receiving more than a one step merit increase during the fiscal year shall not exceed 5 percent of the number of all employees under the jurisdiction of the Personnel Board.

3. Amend under section 7 subtitled "Hiring of New Employees" by adding a new paragraph (C):

(C) Part-time clerks to the Personnel Board, Historic District Commission, Finance Committee, Cable TV Commission, Traffic and Safety Committee and Council of Aging may be employed by the Town without a medical examination.

4. Amend under section 24 subtitled "Job Titles and Standard Rates of Wages and Salaries of the Personnel Wage and Salary By-Law" by deleting the following positions:

Administrative & Clerical
15. Administrative Assistant to The Planning Board

Recreation
1. Director/Youth Center
2. Clerk, Part-Time
6. Playground Supervisor
9. Youth Center Supervisor
10. Youth Center Leader

5. Amend under section 24 subtitled "Job Titles and Standard Rates of Wages and Salaries of the Personnel Wage and Salary By-Law" by adding the following positions:

Administrative & Clerical
15. Human Resources Director
19. Assessor-Part Time

6. Amend under section 24 subtitled "Job Titles and Standard Rates of Wages and Salaries of the Personnel Wage and Salary By-Law" by the renumbering the following positions:

Recreation
1. Waterfront Director
2. Swimming Instructor
3. Lifeguard
5. Recreation Specialist
6. Recreation Leader

and adding the following position:

Recreation
4. Program Supervisor

UNDER ARTICLE 2A Alan Murphy, Chairman of the Personnel Board xplained the article. The Library Director was being increased a level o reflect the start of the proposed three year program to upgrade alaries within the Library Department. The Finance Committee and the oard of Selectmen were in favor of the article as presented. Discussion ollowed. Alan Murphy moved to delete line item 15 Human Resources irctor under Administrative and Clerical. The Finance Committe and the oard of Selectmen were in favor of the amendment. Motion carried, naimously. The Moderator asked for a voice vote on the main motion as meded. Motion carried. Article 2A reads as follows:

Alan Murphy, Chairman of the Personnel Board moved that theTown vote to med the Personnel Wage and Salary By-law by further amending Section 24, Jo Titles and Standard Rates for Wages and Salaries of the Personnel Wage nd Salary By-Law" to conform to rates to pay negotiated by the Town with erain labor organizations, pursuant to General Laws Chapter 150E, and to efect current salaries and grade levels under the Personnel By-Law as follow

ADMINISTRATIVE & CLERICAL	7/87 7/88 Current Level	Current Salary	7/88 - 6/89 Proposed Level	Proposed Salary
1. Executive Secretary	5		5	
2. Town Accountant	3		3	
3. Veteran's Agent	2		2	
4. Council of Aging Director	2		2	
5. Assistant to Assessors	1D		1D	
6. Assistant Town Clerk	2		2	
7. Assistant Treasurer	2		2	
8. Clerk, Senior	1C		1C	
9. Clerk, Junior	1C		1C	
10. Clerk, Part-Time	1A		1A	
11. Town Counsel		$500 P.A.		$500 P.A.
12. Board of Reg., Three Members		$500 EA.		$500 EA.
13. Assistant Town Accountant	2		2	
14. Admin. Assistant to the Executive Secretary	1D		1D	
15. Human Resources Director	-		3	
16. Town Clerk	3		3	
17. Town Treasurer/Collector	3		3	
18. Assessor	3		3	
19. Assessor - Part-Time	1		1	

	7/87 7/88 Current Level	Current Salary	7/88 - 6/89 Proposed Level	Proposed Salary
CONSERVATION, PARKS & CEMETERY				
1. Cemetery Superintendent	2		2	
2. Supt. of Inspect and Pest Control		$1,250 P.A.		$1,250 P.A.
3. Landscaper - Park	1A		1A	
4. Laborer - Park	1A		1A	
5. Unskilled Laborer	#2, #3		#2, #3	
6. Skilled Forest Workman - Conservation	1A		1A	
7. Equipment Operator	1C		1C	
8. Park Superintendent	2		2	
CUSTODIAL				
1. Custodian	1B		1B	
LIBRARY				
1. Library Director	3		4	
2. Library Department Head	1D		1D	
3. Library Specialists	1C		1C	
4. Library Assistant	1B		1B	
5. Library Clerk	1A		1A	
6. Maintenance Assistant	1B		1B	
7. Page	#2, #3		#2, #3	
8. Library Assistant Director	2		2	
9. Maintenance Specialist	1C		1C	
HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT				
1. Highway Superintendent	3		3	
2. Highway Foreman	2		2	
TOWN FIRE DEPARTMENT				
1. Fire Chief	#2		#2	
2. Deputy Fire Chief	4		4	
3. Captain	#2		#2	
4. Truck Mechanic (Fire and Police)	2		2	
5. Auto Mechanic (Fire and Police)	1D		1D	
TOWN POLICE DEPARTMENT				
1. Police Chief	5		5	
2. Deputy Chief	4		4	
3. Captain	3		3	
4. Trainee	359.50 per week		359.50 per week	
RECREATION				
1. Waterfront Director	1A		1A	
2. Swimming Instructor	1A		1A	
3. Lifeguard	1A		1A	
4. Program Supervisor	1B		1B	
5. Recreation Specialist	1A		1A	
6. Recreation Leader	1A		1A	

		7/87 7/88		7/88 - 6/89	
		Current Level	Current Salary	Proposed Level	Proposed Salary
OTHER POSITION					
1.	Building Inspector	3		3	
2.	Electric Inspector	2		2	
3.	Local Inspector	2		2	
4.	Gas Inspector	#2	$8,500 P.A.	#2	$8,500 P.A.
5.	Dog Officer	1D		1D	
6.	Assistant Dog Officer	1A		1B	
7.	Van Driver	1B		1B	
8.	Sealer of Weights & Measures	#2	$2,000 P.A.	#2	$2,000 P.A.
9.	Animal Inspector	#2	$1,000 P.A.	#2	$1,000 P.A.
10.	Clock Winder	#2	$ 200 P.A.	#2	$ 200 P.A.
11.	Town Engineer	3		3	
12.	Assistant Town Engineer	2		2	
13.	Respite Core Program Director	1D		1D	
14.	Home Delivered Meals Coordinator	1A		1A	
15.	Superintendent of Buildings	1D		1D	
16.	Senior Citizens Activities Coordinator	1B		1B	

FOOTNOTES
#1 - Represented by Collective Bargaining
#2 - Not in "Job Rating Plan"
#3 - $4.25/Hr. first year, $4.75/Hr. second year, $5.25/Hr. third year

UNDER ARTICLE 3 Raymond McCusker, petitioner, explained that due to financial situation of the Town he moved to withdraw this article and next two. Motion carried unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 4 Raymond McCusker moved to withdraw this article. Motion carried unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 5 Raymond McCusker moved to withdraw this article. Motion carried unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 6 James Doukszewicz, Town Treasurer moved that the Town vote to raise and appropriate, the sum of $22,500.00 to engage a private accounting firm to prepare an audit of all accounts and all departments in the Town of Chelmsford.

The Finance Committee and Board of Selectmen recommended the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 7 Selectman Dennis J. Ready move to dismiss this article.

Selectman Ready explained that there were no previous years bills. The Finance Committee recommended the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 8 D. Lorraine Lambert, Chairman of the Library Trustees, moved to dismiss this article.

David McLachlan explained that the Library Building Committee could not at this time purchase land to expand the Library onto. Due to the question failing on the April 5th Town Election ballot asking to be allowed to be exempt from propositin 2 1\2. The Finance Committee and the Board of Selectmen recommended dismissal. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 9 D. Lorraine Lambert, Chairman of the Library Trustees, moved to dismiss this article.

Susan Cantin, Library Trustee explained that the Library Trustees will come back in the future asking to expand the present library facilities. The Finance Committee and Board of Selectmen were in favor of the dismissal. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 10 Paul Canniff, Chairman of the Board of Health, moved that the Town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $200,000.00 for the completion of the closure plan of the Swain Road Landfill, including grading and seeding: Groundwater monitoring and sampling as required by the Department of Environmental Quality Engineering (DEQE); Combustible gas monitoring as required by DEQE; and miscellaneous site work not previously anticipated; and that the Board of Health be authorized to apply for, accept and expend any state and federal grants and local monies that may be aviable for the project.

John Emerson of the Board of Health, explained that this was the final phase of the closing of the dump. If this work is not done then the town would be subject to a $1000.00 a day fine. The Finance Committee supported the motion. The Board of Selectmen recommend the article. A discussion took place. The Moderator asked for a voice vote. Motion carried.

NDER ARTICLE 11 Raymond McKeon, Chief of Police, moved to dismiss his article.

hief McKeon spoke about the article. He explained that the Traffic ont ol Unit has been effective. Drivers are being forced to watch their pee . And a majority of the traffic violations are out of town drivers. eve ues are coming in as a result of this. However, due to the ina cial condition of the Town this unit must be disolved as of June 0th The Finance Committee suported the motion to dismiss. The Board of ele tmen were in favor of the motion. Motion carried.

NDER ARTICLE 12 Raymond McKeon, Chief of Police, moved that the Town ote to transfer and appropriate from the Stabilization fund the sum of 45, 00.00 for the purpose of purchasing 3 police cruisers for the Police epa tment and to sell by good and sufficient bill of sale five (5) bsc ete vehicles; and moved that the Town vote to authorize the Board of ele tmen to negotiate and execute all necessary and propper contracts and gre ments thereto, and all contracts to be made under the supervision of he Board of Selectmen.

The Finance Committee recommended the motion. The Board of Selectmen ecmmended the article. A discussion took place. The Moderator asked for voice vote, which left the chair in doubt. The tellers came forward and hand count was taken, 2/3's vote required. Yes 346 No 4 2/3's equals 52 motion carried.

UNDER ARTICLE 13 John Emerson,Chairman of the Sewer Commission, moved o mend the article Line item 15 as follows: Delete the present wording f rainage Facilites Plan Study Work and add in its place Drainage ro ects and related studies thereto. James Doukszewicz Capital Planning ha rman moved to amend the article. The first two line items should read sb stos removal McCarthy auditorium $125,000.00 and Asbestos materials tuy plan for all bldgs. $52,500.00. A Lengthy discussion took place on erning the other line items in this article. Carl Olsson, Chairman of he School Committee explained the $160,000.00 needed for the repairing he boys locker room at the High School. Neil Doherty questioned the xpnse of the Library's computer. James Doukszewicz explained the line te . Mr Doherty also questioned the School Computers lines. Thomas ar oll of the School Department explained that the Vax system needed to e pdated. This additonal drive would improve the present system. As for he terminals repairs have been done in the past, now they needed to be ep aced. The cost of traffic lights installed at Hunt/Littleton Road was ue tioned. James Doukszewicz explained that it was a dangerous nt rsection, there had already been one fatality. The Town could be held ia le in the future if this interesection was not improved. A number of es dents of the area spoke in favor. William Dalton of the Traffic af ty Committee asked for support of the line item. More discussion ol owed. Barry Balan moved the question. Motion carried, unanimously. he Moderator asked for a voice vote on the motion to amend the Sewer ep rtment's line item. Motion Carried. The Moderator asked for a voice ot on the motion to amend the School's first two line item figures. ot on carried. The Moderator asked for a voice vote on the main motion s amended in its entirety. This left the Chair in doubt. A unanimous ot or 2'3's hand vote is needed. The Teller's came forward and a hand ou t was taken: Yes 244 No 31 2/3's was 184, motion carried. The r icle reads as follows:

James Doukszewicz, Chairman of the Captial Planning Committee moved h t the Town vote to appropriate the sum of $1,711,575.00 for the o lowing captial projects:

DEPT.	ITEM	COST APPROXIMATION
CHOOL	ASBESTOS REMOVAL McCARTHY AUDITORIUM	$ 125,000.00
CHOOL	ASBESTOS MATERIALS STUDY PLAN FOR ALL BLDGS.	$ 52,500.00
CHOOL	HANDICAP ACCESSIBILITY TO INNER BLDG. AREAS AT WESTLAND, HARRINGTON, PARKER, HIGH SCHOOL	$ 35,000.00
SCHOOL	BOYS LOCKER ROOM AT HIGH SCHOOL REPAIRS	$ 160,000.00
SCHOOL	McCARTHY ROOFS RECOATED	$ 7,500.00
SCHOOL	STUDENT FURNITURE REPLACED (500 units)	$ 30,000.00
SCHOOL	PANIC HARDWARE REPLACED AT FIVE SCHLS.	$ 60,000.00
SCHOOL	PARKER GYM FLOOR REPLACED	$ 75,000.00
SCHOOL	P.A. CONTROL BOARDS REPLACED AT BYAM & SO. ROW	$ 15,000.00
SCHOOL	CARPETING/TITLE WORK IN OPEN CLASSROOM AREA (BYAM)	$ 50,000.00
SCHOOL	RESEAL H.V.A.C. UNITS ON ROOM AT HIGH SCHOOL	$ 18,000.00
SCHOOL	DRAINAGE AND PAVING WORK IN WASHED OUT AREA AT BYAM	$ 35,000.00
SCHOOL	ADD DISC DRIVE TO VAX SYSTEM	$ 18,000.00
SCHOOL	COMPUTER TERMINALS IN MATH LAB./SOME ADMINISTRATIVE TERMINALS REPLACED TOO	$ 35,000.00
SEWER	DRAINAGE PROJECTS AND RELATED STUDIES	$ 165,000.00
SEWER	OFFICE COMPUTER EQUIPMENT 7 MAINT. CONTRACT	$ 67,500.00
FIRE	MOBIL RADIOS REPLACED	$ 10,000.00
FIRE	SERVICE TRUCK REPLACED	$ 20,000.00
TRAFFIC SAFETY	LIGHTS AT HUNT RD./LITTLETON RD. INSTALLED	$ 120,000.00
TRAFFIC SAFETY	IMPROVEMENTS AT GOLDEN COVE RD./ BILLERICA RD.	$ 20,000.00
SELECTMEN	CENTRAL TELEPHONE SYSTEM AT TOWN OFC. BUILDING	$ 40,000.00
HIGHWAY	STREET RESURFACING WORK	$ 426,000.00
HIGHWAY	DIESEL 4 WHL. DRIVE BACKHOE	$ 60,000.00
HIGHWAY	DIESEL DUMP TRUCK	$ 47,000.00
LIBRARY	COMPUTER FOR ADMINISTRATIVE USE	$ 8,000.00
CEMETERY	REPLACE 4 WHL. DRIVE TRACTOR/LOADER	$ 12,075.00
	TOTAL	$1,711,575.00

and I move that the Town vote authorize the Treasurer, to borrow the sum of $1,711,575.00 to fund these obligations with the approval of the Selectmen, pursuant to General Laws Chapter 44, Section 07.

Selectman Ready moved to adjourn the meeting to Monday evening May 2, 198 7:30 PM to the McCarthy Middle School Gymnasium. Motion carried, unanimously. The meeting adjourned at 11:15 PM.

Dennis McHugh, Moderator

Mary E. St.Hilaire, Town Clerk

ADJOURNED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING
MAY 2, 1988

he Adjourned Annual Town Meeting was called to order at 7:40 PM at he cCarthy Middle School Gymnasium, by the Moderator Dennis McHugh, who ecnized the presence of a quorum. There were 445 voters present.

he Moderator reminded the voters present where the fire exits were oca ed. Selectman Dennis Ready moved to allow Bernard Lynch, Thomas arll and William Mullen who are non residents to speak from time to ime Motion carried, unanimously.

NDER ARTICLE 14 Selectman Dennis Ready moved to table this article nd efer it to the Charter Commission to be included as part of the hater. Dwight Hayward, Chairman of the Finance Committee said the omittee was against the motion. They felt that the question has been voted at the recent Town Election to form a Public Works Department and tha this article should be acted upon. The Moderator asked for a voice vot on the motion to table the article, motion defeated. The Moderator the asked for the Finance Committee's recommendation. The Finance Committee felt that the proponents of the article should speak first, then the would give their recommendation. Selectman Roger Blomgren spoke abo t the article. He thanked the School Committee, Finance Committee and Repesentative Carol Cleven for their help and support of the article. He fel that consolidation of these departments were best for the future of the Town. This is based on a report which was done by Bennett and Shaw. The Town would be able to maintain the present quality of service of these dep rtments without cutting back. Cost wise it would be better. Equipment wil be shared within the departments. Selectman Blomgren explained that a rep rt done by Bennett & Shaw made a number of other recommendations for the Town to follow. The Finance Committee supported the article. They fel that this is what the people in town wanted. Before the Moderator acknowledge any other voters, he made a point of order. Any voter after speaking on an article, would not be allow to move the question to end debate, after speaking. Everett Olsen, a member of the Cemetery Comission, moved to exclude the Cemetery Commission from this article. He sa d the study that was done in 1978 on the possibility of a forming DPW st ted that the Cemetery Department shouldn't be included under the DPW. He said that the Commission has been established since 1890. Mass. Ge eral Laws Chapter 114, specify the duties of the Commission. The Comission is in charge of perpetual care account which can only be used by them. The Finance Committee is against the motion to delete. The Board of Selectmen were in favor of the motion. The Moderator asked for a voce vote, which left the Chair in doubt. He then asked for a show of hads, motion carried. More discussion took place. When would this go ino effect? Under whose jurisdiction would the Department come under. Th Selectmen explained that once it was passed, it would go on to the Le islature for approval, if approved by them, then it would come back to th Town Meeting for a final vote. The Board of Selectmen would be in ch rge of the DPW. They would appoint a person to be in charge of the de artment. It was questioned that perhaps further study should be done be ore voting. Selectmen Bradford Emerson said that because of these qu stions and others this is the reason why a majority of the Selectmen wa t to table the article. Cheryl Boss of the Finance Committee questioned why the Board after first recommending the article now want to tble it. Selectman Blomgren explained that he was on the minority of the Board who wanted to table this. He felt that the people in town voted in fa or of consolidation, and that the Selectmen and Town Meeting body should vote for it. If voted, then the Selectmen would have one year to i on out the problems and prepare a budget showing exactly what would be involved via personnel and expenses. At that time the Town Meeting could d cide if they really wanted to consolidate. Michael Anthony moved the

.est on to stop debate. Motion carried, unanimously. The Moderator .ked for a voice vote on the motion as amended, motion carried. The 'tic e reads as follows:

Selectman Dennis Ready moved that the Town vote to direct the Board of lec men to petition the Great and General Court of the Commonwealth of ıssa husetts to enact Special Legislation establishing a Town of ıelm ford Public Works Department, said department consisting of the)llo ing departments:

Highway Department
Engineering Department
Recreation Department
Public Buildings Department
Tree Warden
Sewer Commission
(Year 2005)
Chelmsford Center Industrial Sewer District
(when terminated pursuant to special act which created said District)
Park Department
with said Public Works Department being organized pursuant to a report prepared by Bennett and Shaw Inc. management Consultants entitled "FEASIBILITY STUDY OF A CONSOLIDATED PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT FOR JANUARY 12, 1988. Said bill, when approved by the legislature and signed into law by the Governor, to be approved in its final form by the voters at an Annual or Special Town Meeting in order for it to be implemented;

ennis McHugh, Moderator, made a point of order. Due to being the ega Counsel for the North Chelmsford Water Commission, he was stepping own as Moderator. He nominated James Harrington, Town Counsel as Acting ode ator for this article. Motion carried. James Harrington came orw rd and was sworn in by the Town Clerk Mary E. St.Hilaire.

UNDER ARTICLE 15 Selectman Roger Blomgren explained the article and res nted facts and figures in support of the article. The Finance omm ttee was in favor of the article. Especially due to the fact a non ind ng question was placed on the April 5th Town Election and passed. lus the sewer department will be going on line soon and this would avoid upl cating services. James Geary,representing the Center Water District sk d about legal issues that would effect that district as well as the as and North Water Districts. The districts have been established in 1930, 1933 and 1935 and the districts have worked well in serving he inhabitants. He also stated that in October 1973, Town Counsel at that im , Clement McCarthy gave an opinion outlining to the Board of Selectmen re s of consolidation. Those steps mentioned in 1973 should be followed ow He pointed out that it is necessary for the inhabitants of each is rict to vote at their annual meetings to approve any future merger. ni was done in 1982-1983 when the South merged with the Center district. he actual vote took place in January and February 1984. The financial it ation of merging was questioned. The districts have different xp nses. Does proposition 2 1/2 come into this? John Emerson Chairman f he Sewer Commission, spoke in favor of this. Due to sewerage soon ta ting, centralize billing will needed to be done. The water supply

lons to everyone in Town. It should not be divided by districts. The wn ould be better having one district under the Town's jurisidiction arging the same rate. Ronald Wetmore Treasurer of the Center Water strict, spoke against the article. He explained that the Center District is improved its services, it has invested in a computer system that will e able to handle any and all billing. All the water districts now help ich other out via equipment use etc. This includes surrounding Towns and ie City of Lowell. A lengthy discussion took place. Voters spoke for and gainst the consolidation. Peter Lawlor of the Finance Committee spoke in avor Jacob Sartz, Commissioner of the East District and Bruce Clark, ommissioner of the North District, spoke against the article. Joe cbamer moved the question to stop debate. Motion carried. The oderator attempted a voice vote which left the chair in doubt. The ollowing tellers came forward and a hand count was taken:

argaret Johnson	Jocelyn Anthony	Walter Cleven
orman LeBrecque	Michael Anthony	Jean Horgan
ane Drury	John Carson	Judy Hass
ynn Marcella	Jonathan Stubbs	

esult of the hand count: Yes 189 No 178 the motion carried. Voters uestioned the hand count. The Tellers were called back and conducted nother hand count. Yes 187 No 179, the motion carried.

The article reads as follows:

Selectman Dennis Ready moved that the town vote to direct the Board of electman to petition the Great and General Court of the Commonwealth of assachusetts to enact Special Legislation to (1) abolish the three 3) Water Districts currently existing in the Town of Chemsford known as he North Chelmsford Water District, Chelmsford Water District, a/k/a helmsford Center Water Distrct, and East Chelmsford Water District and ransfer all Assets and Debts thereto to the newly created Chelmsford ater Department as hereinafter established and (2) to create a single ntity to be known as the Chelmsford Water Department operating under the ontrol of Town Meeting, which would have the right to establish rates and udgets, authorized bonding, take property and determine organization, all s pursuant to a report prepared by Bennett and Shaw, Inc. Management onsultants entitled "FEASIBILITY STUDY OF A CONSOLIDTED PUBLIC WORKS EPARTMENT FOR THE TOWN OF CHELMSFORD, MASSACHUSETTS JANUARY 12, 1988. ail bill, when approved by the legislature and signed into law by the overnor, to be approved in its final form by the voters at an Annual or pecial Town Meeting in order for it to be implemented.

Edward Marshall moved that the meeting adjourn until 7:30 PM Monday veening May 9, 1988, at the McCarthy Middle School Gymnasium. Motion arried. The meeting adjourned at 10:25 PM

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ennis McHugh, Moderator Mary E. St.Hilaire, Town Clerk

ADJOURNED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING
MAY 9, 1988

The Adjourned Annual Town Meeting was called to order at 7:35 PM at the McCarthy Middle School Gymnasium, by the Moderator Dennis McHugh who recognized the presence of a quorum. There were 478 voters present.

The Moderator reminded voters of the location of the fire exits and where to leave the Charter Commission survey forms. He also asked permission from the Town Meeting body to allow Bernard Lynch, Thomas Carroll, William Mullen, who are non residents to speak from time to time. Motion carried, unanimously.

Dwight Hayward, Chairman of the Finance Committee, moved to take articles 18,19, and 20 out of order. Due to a Special Town Meeting being posted to start at 8:00 PM, the budget is the next article to come up. These articles do not involve any money therefore they could be acted on prior to the special. The Moderator asked for a voice vote, Motion carried.

UNDER ARTICLE 18 James Doukszewicz, moved that the Town vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, to enter into compensating balance agreements, during fiscal 1989, as permitted by General Laws Chapter 41, section 53F.

The Finance Committee recommended the article. The purpose of the article is to permit the Treasurer to maintain compensating balances in exchange for services receive. He sited as an example the payroll processing charges are at no cost to the Town from the bank where our deposit of funds are. The Moderator asked for a voice vote, motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 19 James Doukszewicz, Town Treasurer, moved that the town vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Board of Selectmen to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning July 1, 1988, in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 4, and to issue a note or notes as may be given for a period of less that one year in accordance with General laws, Chapter 44, Section 17 and 17 (a).

The Finance Committee recommended the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 20 John F. McCarthy,Chairman of the Planning Board moved that the Town vote to amend the Chelmsford Zoning By-Law by deleting the present zoning map and substituting the redrafted map proposed by the Planning Board, as filed with the Town Clerk, and displayed at the Annual Town Meeting.

James Harrington, Town Counsel explained that this article is to make correction on the zoning map. A small area in South Chelmsford (the Unico Gas Station on Acton Road) was inadvertently zoned (P) Public when it should have been left as (CB) Roadside.

The Moderator read the Planning Board's recommendation, submitted by John F.McCarthy, Chairman. "The Planning Board held a public hearing on April 13, 1988 and voted in favor (6-0) of the proposal to amending the zoning by-laws and zoning map from (P) Public to Roadside (CB)."

The Finance Committee recommended the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

James Harrington, Town Counsel, moved to take Articles 21,22,23, and 24 out of order at this time to be acted on prior to the Special Town Meeting scheduled for 8:00 PM. The Finance Committee. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 21 The Moderator read the article. He then asked for the Finance Committee's recommendation. Dwight Hayward explained that the committee would like to hear the petitioner's explanation first. The Moderator asked for the petitioner to come forward and speak and explain the purpose of petition. The petitioner was not present, therefore the Finance Committee did not recommend the article. A voice vote was taken, motion defeated. (this was reconsidered see after art. 28)

UNDER ARTICLE 22 The Moderator read the article. He then asked the petitioner to come forward and explain the purpose of wanting the land. Seeing that no one came forward, the Finance Committee recommended not to accept the article. Motion defeated by voice vote. (this was reconsidered see after art. 26)

UNDER ARTICLE 23 Selectman Dennis J. Ready moved that the Town vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for consideration to be determined, to convey and transfer all rights, title and interest, if any held by the Town in a certain parcel of land on Elton Road, shown as Lots 46 and 47, Assessors' Map 45.

The Moderator asked the petitioner to come forward and explain the purpose of wanting the land. The petitioner Steve Masse, a non resident, asked permission to speak on the article. Voice vote taken, motion carried. He explained that he owns the land abutting the property. He wanted to buy the land and be able to build on the combined two parcels. The Finance Committee recommended passage. A Voice vote was taken, which left the chair in doubt. The following tellers came forward to take an hand count:

Bill Drury	Margaret Johnson	Bill Drury
Dennis Hass	Jean Horgan	Dave Fenn
Nathan Stubbs	Walter Cleven	Carolyn Fenn
Ward Marshall	Elizabeth Marshall	

Result of the hand count Yes:276 No:5 Motion carried.

UNDER ARTICLE 24 Selectman Dennis J. Ready moved that the Town vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for consideration being set by bid or auction of said property hereinafter described to convey and transfer all rights, title and interest, if any held by the Town, in a certain parcel of land on North Road, shown as Lot 55 on Assessors' Map 168.

The Moderator asked the petitioner to come forward and explain the purpose of wanting the land. John Smith who abutts the property spoke on the article. He explained that the land is wet, he wants to purchase it and keep it open as a place for birds and other animals to go to. He knows that it is unbuildable. The Finance Committee recommended the article. A discussion took place concerning the exact location. It was explained that the land is land locked and runs North of Mr Smith's land. At the time of putting this on the warrant other people were interested in purchasing the land. That is why the wording mentions bid or auction. The land will be appraised, then the land will go to the highest bidder. The Moderator asked for a voice vote, which left the chair in doubt. A 2/3's vote is required. A hand count was taken. Yes 302 No 3. Motion carried.

A this time Selectman Ready moved to recess the Annual Town meeting r te purpose of conducting the Special Town Meeting. The Annual Town eti g shall reconvene immediately after the Special Town Meeting. tio carried, unanimously. The meeting recessed at 8:10 PM.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING
May 9, 1988

Te Special Town Meeting was called to order at 8:11 PM. Selectman nni J. Ready moved that the reading of the Constable's return of rvi e and posting of the warrant be waived. It was so voted, ani ously. Selectman Ready moved that the reading of the entire warrant wa ved. It was so voted, unanimously.

Te Moderator asked to allow Bernard Lynch, Thomas Carroll, William lle and Attorney Thomas Arnold, Special Town Counsel, to address the wn eeting Body if necessary. He explained that Town Counsel James rr gton had a conflict with some of the up coming articles. Attorney no l would address any questions during this Special Town Meeting. ti carried, unanimously.

NDER ARTICLE 1 Selectman Dennis Ready, moved that the Town vote to an fer (1) the sum of $13,576.00 from the State Reimbursements for rr cane Gloria and Flood Damage (2) the sum of $10,109.00 from Federal im rsements from Hurrican Gloria and (3) the sum of $11,193.00 from ti le 11 of the Special Town Meeting of January 27, 1986 to the Highway pa tment, Line 81 Salary.

rn rd Lynch explained that this money totals $34,878.00 and will be used p y for accrue sick time for three Highway Department employees who ve retired within the last twelve months. This will be added to the gh ay Departments salary line item. The Finance Committee recommended e rticle. Motion carried, unanimously.

NDER ARTICLE 2 Selectman Dennis Ready moved that the Town vote to an fer (1) the sum of $32,259.00 from Overlay Surplus and (2) the sum of 28 741.00 from Surplus Revenue to Insurance (Life and Medical), Line em 139. Expense.

ernard Lynch explained that this is to complete the Town's payment r he Town Employees and retired Town Employees health insurance. The na ce Committee recommended the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 3 Selectman Dennis Ready moved that the Town vote to ar sfer the sum of $3,249.00 from Article 11 of the Special Town Meeting anuary 27, 1986 to Article 9 of the Annual Town Meeting of 1985 to m lete construction of the Dog Pound.

The Finance Committee recommended the article. Motion carried, a imously.

UNDER ARTICLE 4 Selectman Dennis Ready moved that the Town vote to a sfer the sum of $2,031.00 from Article 11 of the Special Town Meeting anuary 27, 1986 to Data Processing, Line Item 146.

Bernard Lynch explained that this money is for the service contract of e Assessors' computer system which was purchased last year under the p tal planning article. The Finance Committee recommended the article. t on carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 5 Gerald Hardy, Chairman of the Cemetery Commission, v d that the Town vote to transfer the sum of $18,000.00 from the sale raves and lots to the Cemetery Improvement and Development Fund.

The Finance Committee recommended the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 6 Selectman Dennis Ready moved that the Town vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for consideration to be determined, to convey and transfer all rights, title and interest, if any held by the town in a certain parcel of land on Shore Drive shown as Lot 76 on Assessors' Map 45.

Selectman Ready explained that this was 3,662 square feet. The Modertor asked the petitioner to come forward and explain the purpose of wanting the land. Seeing that no one came forward, the Finance Committee recommended not to accept the article. Motion defeated by voice vote.

UNDER ARTICLE 7 Selectman Dennis Ready moved that the Town vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for consideration to be determined, to convey and transfer all rights, title and interest, if any held by the town in a certain parcel of land on Shore Drive show as Lot 36, on Assessors' Map 45.

The Modertor asked the petitioner to come forward and explain the purpose of wanting the land. Seeing that no one came forward, the Finance Committee recommended not to accept the article. Motion defeated by voice vote

UNDER ATICLE 8 Selectman Dennis Ready moved that the Town vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for consideration to be determined, to convey and transfer all rights, title and interest, if any held by the town in a certain parcel of land off Acton Road shown as Lot 86 on Assessor's Map 229.

The Modertor asked the petitioner to come forward and explain the purpose of wanting the land. Seeing that no one came forward, the Finance Committee recommended not to accept the article. Motion defeated by voice vote

UNDER ARICLE 9 Carl Olsson, Chairman of the School Committee, moved to dismiss this article. The Finance Committee recommended dismissal. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 10 Selectman Dennis Ready moved to dismiss this article.The Finance Committee recommended dismissal. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 11 James Doukszewicz, Chairman of the Capital Planning Committee, moved that the Town vote to transfer the sum of $63,346.18 from the unexpended proceeds of the amount authorized by Article 13 of the Annual Town Meeting of 1986, for the following purposes:

$13,000.00	Sander for the Highway Department
$32,500.00	Diesel Truck (Cap and Chassis) for for the Highway Department
$17,846.18	Addition funds for Office work to be done at the Police Station pursunt to Article 17, Annual Town Meeting 1987.
$63,346.18	

James Doukszewicz explained that this is money left over from two years ago capital planning expenditures. Capital Planning monies must be

sed for the exact amount and item listed. For whatever reason the monies idn: get expended and in order for them to be used they must be ran ferred and listed again. The Finance Committee recommended the rti le.
oti n carried, unanimously.

NDER ARTICLE 12 Selectman Dennis Ready moved that the Town vote to ran fer (1) the sum of $3,527.00 from Article 11 of the Special Town eet ng of January 27, 1986 and (2) the sum of $21,473.00 from Line Item 40. Unemployment Benefits - State, to the Charter Commission Expense cco nt, pursuant to G.L. C. 43B; Section 8.

electman Ready moved to dismiss this article. Dwight Hayward of the ina ce Committee, stated their support and explained that at some other oin in time the Charter Commission will submit another article equ sting funds. Motion carried, unanimously.

NDER ARTICLE 13 James McBride, Chairman of the Conservation omm ssion, moved that the Town vote to reaffirm the vote of Article 10 of he Special Town Meeting of May 11, 1987 and vote to petition the Great nd General Court to enact special legislation to form a Special ons rvation, Recreation, District between the Town of Chelmsford and the ow of Carlisle for the opertion, administration, maintenance of property nov as the Lowell Cranberry Bog, in the town of Chelmsford and Carlisle. ai bill, when approved by the legislature and signed into law by the ov rnor, to be approved in its final form by the voters at an annual or pe ial Town Meeting in order for it to be implemented.

Judith Hass, Member of the Conservation Commission, explained the rt cle. Even though this was already voted on last year, the bill was ot filed in time with the Legislature. Therefore this had to be revoted nd resubmitted. The Finance Committee recommended the article. ot on carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 14 Joseph Shanahan representing the developers of the Co mons" gave a lengthy presentation on the article. There would be 108 ni s, ten of which wold be put aside as affordable housing. If any ut re development should take place then the developers would require a om hensive permit. These 108 units fall within the requirements based on he present zoning by-laws. Kim McKenzie read the Planning Board's ec mmendation: The Planning Board held a Public Hearing on May 4, 1988 nd voted in favor (7-0) of the proposal to amend the zoning bylaws and or ng map from (RB) Single Residence to Mulitiple Residence (RM). Peter av or of the Finance Committee stated that the Finance Committee was in a or of the article. A lengthy discussion took place. A number of voters pc e for and against the article. William Dalton moved the question to t debate. Motion carried, unanimously. The Moderator asked for a oi e vote, which left the chair in doubt. The tellers came forward and a ai count was taken: Yes 165 No 240 motion defeated. (see the wording on h warrant for description of the article.)

UNDER ARTICLE 15 Selectman Dennis Ready moved that the Town vote to c ept the conveyance by the Chelmsford Housing Authority to Town of h lmsford of a parcel of land and buildings thereon, known as the North o n Hall and being described in a deed from Benjamin Adams and Thomas J. d ms, to the Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford, recorded in Middlesex o th Registry of Deeds at Book 659, Page 495, with said property to be e ted in the authority and control of the Board of Selectmen and I move h t the Town vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen for consideration o be determined, to convey all right, title and interest, if any, held by h Town in a parcel of land and buildings thereon, known as the North o n Hall, and being decribed in a deed dated February 1,1853, from e jamin Adams and Thomas J. Adams, to the

tants of the Town of Chelmsford, recorded in Middlesex North ry of Deeds at Book 18, Page 33 and Middesex South Registry of Deeds k 659, Page 495.

lectman Ready explained that three years ago the Selectmen sold this ty along with two other properities to the Housing Authority. This ular property because of Historical constraints on the property the g Authority cannot develope the property and wish to turn it back the Town. In the future the Selectmen will meet with the neighborhood ecide what to do with the property, most likly it will follow the of the grange hall in S. Chelmsford. Whereas a single family ence will be developed and thus preserving the Historical value of roperty. The Finance Committee recommended the article. Motion ed, unanimously.

he Moderator moved to adjourn the Special Town Meeting, seeing that is no further business at hand and return to the Adjourned Annual Meeting. The Finance Committee and Board of Selectmen were in favor e motion. Motion carried, unanimously. The meeting adjourned at PM.

he Moderator reconvened the Adjourned Annual Town Meeting.

NDER ARTICLE 16 Selectman Ready moved to table this article (budget) se of the hour and continue on with the rest of the articles at hand. Moderator asked for a voice vote which left the chair in doubt. He asked for a show of hands, motion carried.

NDER ARTICLE 17 Dwight Hayward, Chairman of the Finance Committee, to table this article, due to the same reason given for article 16. utcome must be known from article 16 before acting on this article. oderator asked for a voice vote, motion carried.

NDER ARTICLE 25 Selectman Dennis Ready moved that the Town vote to t the following mentioned street, as laid out by the Board of tmen and shown by their reports duly filed in the office of the Town :

.. Higate Road

ding all the construction of the same meets with the requiremments of Board of Selectmen, and subject to the withholding of any remaining s until such requirements have been meet and I move that the town vote uthorize the Board of Selectmen to acquire any and all temporary or permanent easements, and any property in fee simple, with trees on, by purchase, eminent domain, or otherwise, for the purpose of ing traffic safety and road improvements, and I move the Town vote to e and appropriate, the sum of ONE DOLLAR $1.00 to defray all necessary s, fees and expenses in connection with the acquisition of said land for paying any damages which may be awarded as a result of any such ng; and I move the Town vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to tiate and execute all necessary and proper contracts and agreements eto.

Selectman Ready explained that this is the normal procedure for pting Town streets after the Town Engineer has approved the plans. Finance Committee is in favor. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 26 Selectman Dennis Ready moved that the Town vote to pt the following mentioned street, as laid out by the Board of tmen and shown by their reports duly filed in the office of the Town k:

1. Autumn Lane

roviding all the construction of the same meets with the requirements of he Board of Selectmen, and subject to the withholding of any remaining onds until such requirements have been meet and I move that the town vote o authorize the Board of Selectmen to acquire any and all temporary nd/or permanent easements, and any property in fee simple, with trees heron, by purchase, eminent domain, or otherwise, for the property ocated therein described herewith, for the purpose of securing traffic afety and road improvements, and I move the Town vote to raise and ppropriate, the sum of ONE DOLLAR $1.00 to defray all necessary costs, ees and expenses in connection with the acquisition of said land and for aying any damages which may be awarded as a result of any such taking; nd I move the Town vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to negotiate nd execute all necessary and proper contracts and agreements thereto.

The Finance Committee and Board of Selectmen recommended the article. otion carried, unanimously.

Max Jordan moved to reconsider article 22. Due to arriving late to he meeting, he was unable to speak on the article when it was taken up. he Board of Selectmen and the Finance Committee were in favor for eco sideration. Motion carried.

UNDER ARTICLE 22 Mr Jordan explained that the land abutts his roperty and he wanted to extend his children's playing area. The Board f Selectmen and Finance Committee recommended the article. The Moderator sked for a voice vote, motion carried, unanimously. Reads as follows:

electman Dennis J. Ready moved that the Town vote to authorize the Board f Selectmen, for consideration to be determined, to convey and transfer ll rights, title and interest, if any held by the Town, in a certain arcel of land on Kevin and Brian Road shown as Lots 46, 47,56 and 57, on ssessors' Map 168.

UNDER ARTICLE 27 Carl Olsson, Chairman of the School Committee, moved ha the Town vote to authorize the School Committee to transfer, release, r otherwise convey the care, custody, management and control, and all th r right, title and interest, if any, in the parcels of lands as shown n a plan of land entitled "Plan of Sewer Easements/Chelmsford Schools" re ared by Howe Engineering, dated March, 1988, said plan being on file it the Town Engineer and incorporated herewith, to the Board of el ctmen, for the use by the Town of Chelmsford, for the purpose of on tructing and maintaining gravity sewers, force mains and all other pp rtenances thereto.

John Emerson, Chairman of the Sewer Commission explained that the Town wn d land is on Richardson Road, under the School Department's ur sdiction. The Board of Selectmen must take over the land. Then the el ctmen will turn it over to the Sewer Commission. Once the Sewer on ission is allowed to build on this land they will be able to complete he sewage layout for all of Richardson Road. This will also include yi g for the Parker School sewage, which will protect the drinking water el s. The Finance Committee and the Board of Selectmen recommended the rt cle. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 28 Selectman Dennis Ready moved that the town vote to uthorize the Board of Selectmen to convey all right, title and interest, f any, in the parcels of land as shown on a plan of land entitled "Plan f Sewer Easements/Chelmsford Schools" prepared by Howe Engineering, dated ar h, 1988, said plan being on file with the Town Engineer and in orporated herewith, to the Chelmsford Sewer Commission and/or helmsford Center Industrial Sewer District, as the case may be, for u poses of contructing sewers, force mains, and maintaining gravity

ewer, force mains and all other appurtenances thereto.

ohn Emerson,Chairman of the Sewer Commission, explained that this ivolved the same properties as mentioned in article 27. This would allow ie board of Selectmen to convey the land to the Sewer Commission. The ewer Commission will then build on the properties. The Finance committee id board of Selectmen were in favor of the article. Motion carried, ianimously.

t this time Steven Baraldi moved to reconsider article 21. The land n nbuildable wet land and he wants to add it to the size of his present arcel. The Selectmen and Finance Committee recommend the econsideration. Motion carried, unanimously.

NDER ARTICLE 21 Selectman Dennis J. Ready moved that the Town vote o athorize the Board of Selectmen, for consideration to be determined, o nvey and transfer all rights, title and interest, if any held by the own in a certain parcel of land on Kevin road, shown as Lot 45 ssessors' Map 168 being the premises described by an instrument, recorded n Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds in Book 4046, Page 331.

NDER ARTICLE 29 Selectman Dennis Ready moved that the Town of helmsford vote to accept provisions of Section 12 of Chapter 188 of the cts of 1985 the School Improvement Act, in relation to the Equal ductional Opportunity Grant in the amount of Seventeen Thousand Nine und ed Twenty Dollars ($17,920.00), for the Nashoba Valley Technical High chool, conditioned upon the funding of said programs by any source other han the Town of Chelmsford, and further conditioned upon, to the extent ermitted by law, that said professional grant programs, and any monies air to any employee of the Nashoba Valley Technical High School, shall ot be used or considered a past practice for the purpose of collective argaining and shall be nonrecurring lump sum payment not built into chool employees salary schedules.

The Finance Committee and the Board of Selectmen recommend the rticle. The Board of Selectmen recommended the article. Motion carried, naimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 30 Selectman Dennis Ready moved to dismiss this rticle. This was in regards to accepting the Cranberry Bog Legislation, hich now has to be resubmitted. The Finance Committee support the itdrawal. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 31 Selectman Dennis Ready moved that the Town vote to uthorize the Board of Selectmen and/or the Sewer Commissioners to acquire ny and all temporary and/or permanent easements, and any property in fee imple with the buildings and trees thereon by purchase, eminent domain, r otherwise, for the property located in the Town of Chelmsford, assachusetts, and further described and shown on a set of plans, entitled Plan of Sewer Easement in Chelmsford, Massachuetts, Center Interceptor ewer," prepared for the Chelmsford Sewer Commission, March , 1988, scale inch = 40 feet, by Howe surveying, copies of which are on file in the ffice of the Town Engineer and are incorporated herewith, for the purpose f constructing and maintaining gravity sewers, force mains, pumping tations, and all other appurtenances thereto, to be expanded from the ale of Bonds/with said funds and /or notes authorized from Article 31 of he Annual Town Meeting of 1984 necessary to defray all necessary costs, es and expenses in connection with the acquisition of said land and for aying any damages which may be awarded as the result of any such taking.

ohn Emerson,Chairman of the Sewer Commission, explained that this nvo es land takings in order to complete the sewage construction in the ent r area. The Finance Committee and Board of Selectment recommended the rti le. Motion carried, unanimously.

NDER ARTICLE 32 James McBride Chairman of the Conservation omm ssion, moved to amend the article. Mr McBride explained why he ant d trapping prohibited. A lengthy discussion followed. The Finance omm ttee did not support the article or the amendment. Renee LaRouche pok against the article. He is a direct abutter to the Deep Brook Pond, n N Chelmsford, where there is a beaver population in the area causing rob ems. Dams are being built causing flooding, stopping the flow of ate etc. More discussion followed. Other residents within the area pok against the article. Joseph Campobasso, moved the question to stop eba e. Motion carried, unanimously. The Moderator asked for a voice ote on Mr. McBride's motion to amend the article. Motion defeated. He her asked for a voice vote on the main motion, motion defeated. (see ar nt for text of article.)

NDER ARTICLE 33 Selectman Dennis Ready moved that the Town vote ursuant to General Law Chapter 82, Section 21, that public conveyance nd necessity require that a portion of Swain Road as hereinafter es ibed shall be discontinued and all public rights in any and all or ions of said Streets, and/or Town ways relative to said street shall e henceforth discontinued and abandoned; said street is more particularly es ibed as follows:

That portion of Swain Road as shown on a Plan of relocation of Swain oa on file with the Town Clerk.

And moved that the Town vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for on ideration to be determined, to convey and transfer, all right, title nd interest, if any, held by the town in the above parcel of the land oc ted on the discontinued portion of said way/road, to the abutters of ai property.

Joseph Shanahan, representing the DiRubbo family explained the rt cle. They owned a large tract of land and in 1949 the Town took by mi ent domain 7,000 square feet of their land to relocate Swain Road. A or ion taken has not been used in the past forty years, and if the Town ba dons the land the DiRubbo's will be able to purchase it and use with he remaining piece of 10,000 square feet. They will likley go to the oa d of Appeals and try to form a building lot, to build a single family ou e. Before the taking, the lot was in fact a legal size lot, but due o he zoning by-law changing two years ago the lot would be considered a or buildable lot. The Finance Committee and the Board of Selectmen up orted the article. A question was asked if this would be used as an ac ss road for future condominium development. The answer was no. Within he bid process, used by the Board of Selectmen could in fact restrict the se of the property. Jeffery Stallard moved the question to stop debate. ot on carried, unanimously. A 2/3's vote is needed. A voice vote taken n the main motion, left the chair in doubt, the tellers came forward and and count was taken. Yes 168 No 9, Motion carried.

Selectman Ready moved to adjourn the meeting until Monday evening May 6 h, at 7:30 PM at the McCarthy Middle School Gymnasium. Motion carried, n imously. The meeting adjourned at 11:05 PM.

e nis McHugh, Moderator

Mary E. St.Hilaire,Town Clerk

ADJOURNED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING
May 16, 1988

he Adjourned Annual Town Meeting was called to order at the McCarthy idd e School Gymnasium at 7:40 PM, by the Moderator Dennis McHugh, who ec nized the presence of a quorum. There were 423 voters present.

he Moderator reviewed the Town Meeting procedures with the voters. e a so reminded them where the fire exits were and announced that the har er Commission would be having a public hearing on Tuesday evening May 7th at 7:00 PM at the Town Office Building, and he urged the voters to tte d.

he Moderator then asked to allow Bernard Lynch, Thomas Carroll, and il am Mullen, non residents to speak from time to time concerning items f terest. Motion carried, unanimously.

electman Dennis Ready moved to remove from the table articles 16 and 7. The Finance Committee was in favor of the motion. Motion carried, nai mously.

UNDER ARTICLE 16 William Dalton made a point of order. He asked to ak a motion. This is in regards to the individual budgets. After each ep rtment head and the Board of Selectmen and Finance Committee make he r recommendations there should be a limit of twenty minutes for eb te. The Finance Committee was against the motion. The Moderator sk d for a voice vote, motion defeated. The vote was questioned. The od rator asked for a show of hands, which left the Chair in doubt a 2/3's ot is required. The following tellers came forward and conducted a hand out:

o lyn Anthony	Margaret Johnson	Paul Ahern
li abeth Marshall	Edward Marshall	Judy Hass
i ael Anthony	Jonathan Stubbs	Jane Drury
il iam Drury	Carolyn Fenn	

es lt of the hand count Yes 152 No 139 (2/3's 194) motion defeated.

Barry Bell moved to limit debate to three minutes per speaker, per i item. The Moderator asked for a voice vote. Motion defeated.

Dwight Hayward, Chairman of the Finance Committee moved to make the o lowing adjustments to certain line items:

Department/Line Item	Description	Amount
Town Clerk-- 50	Out of State	$1.00
Town Clock-- 52	Expenses	$1.00
Treasurer/Collector-- 56	Outlay	$1.00
Dog Officer-- 59	Pound Rental	$1.00
Cemetery--114	Out of State	$1.00
Veterns Benefits--128	Outlay	$1.00

n to transfer from overlay surplus reserve $450,000.00. minus this m nt from line #144 Expense $1,327,360.00 under the Insurance (Life & e ical Budget) for a total figure of $850,656.00.

n reduce line #89 Salary under the Highway Department an additional 2 0.00 from the stabilization fund interest total figure 7,200.00 for a o al buget of $1,374,138.00

n increase line #41 Salary under the Registrars by $1,500.00, but reduce 4 Expenses by $1,500.00 (does not effect total budget figure)

nd minus $20,000.00 from line item 76 Salaries under the Police budget whi will leave a total budget figure of $2,532,991.00) and increase 20,00.00 line #72 Salaries which will reflect a total figure of 179126.00 under the Inspection Department. For a total budget figure of 196378.00.

nd educe line #143, Expense under County Retirement Assessment by 39,68.00 for a total budget figure of $1,288,092.00. and increase line tem#146 Expense by $39,268.00 under Unemployment Benefits (State) for a ota budget figure of $239,268.00.

ne oderator asked for discussion on the motion. Questions were asked bou the $1.00 increases. Dwight Hayward explained that by leaving a 1.0 figure in these line items if transfer needed to be made through the ear it could be done. Without the amount the department head would have o wit until the next annual town meeting to appropriate an amount. A ues ion was asked concerning the $450,000.00. This money was a revenue bur e which had already been raised in previous years in anticipation of bat ments for the Assessors'. This money could only be used to REDUCE a udg t not be ADDED for expenditures. The Moderator asked for a voice ote on the motion to amend. Motion carried.

electman Bradford Emerson moved that the entire Personnel Department udg t figure of $10,958.00 be transfered to the Selectman's Salary line tem #44. Due to the fact that the Human Resource Director position did ot pass, as of July 1st the Treasurer was going to transfer the work load f ealth insurance, and other insurance benefits to the Selectmen. This one would be used to hire an additional clerk. The Moderator asked for a voic vote, motion carried.

The Moderator read the Accounting Department's budget and asked for iscussion, hearing none he went on the the Assessors Department. Under he Assessors Department James Sousa moved to amend the Salary figure to ea $164,392.00, and a total budget figure of $260,162.00. He felt the epartment head knew what he/she needed to maintain the present services. nd didn't think it fair that the Finance Committee went ahead and made he recommendations in some cases without any imput from the department ea. The department head should come forth and explain why they requested he monies shown and let the voters decided if a cut should be made. He lamed to amend each individual budget through out the meeting to reflect ha the department originally requested. The Board of Selectmen and the in nce Committee did not recommend the motion to amend. Diane Phillips, ssessor, stated that the Assessors had decided to work with the figures ecommended by the Finance Committee. The Moderator asked for a voice ot on the motion to amend. Motion defeated. He asked for further iscussion, hearing none he read from Board of Appeals through Planning oard, asking for any need for discussion after reading the line items and he total budget figure.

Under Public Buildings, James Sousa moved to amend the line item #37 alary to read $89,401.00 for a total figure of $161,251.00. Robert eltetsky, Buildings Superintendent was in favor of the motion. He xplained that under the Finance Committee's recommendation he would be osing a part-time personnel. He explained what his department's duties nd responsibilities were. The Finance Committee was against the motion to med. A discussion took place. The Moderator asked for a voice vote on he motion to amend. Motion defeated. He asked for further discussion, earing none he read from the Registrars Department through reasurer/Collector, asking for any need for discussion after reading the in items and the total budget figure.

Under Dog Officer Department, James Sousa moved to amend the line item

57 alary to read $$30,025.00 for a total figure of $39,825.00. The ina ce Committee and the Board of Selectmen were against the motion. The ele tmen explained that the cuts that were being made were difficult hoi es. Due to the Annual Town Election vote not to override Prop 2 1/2, he uts had to be made, regardless of the circumstances. Discussion took lac . The Moderator asked for a voice vote on the motion to amend. oti n defeated. He asked for further discussion, hearing none he read the mer ency Management Agency Budget asking for any need for discussion fte reading the line items and the total budget figure.

Under the Fire Department Robert Hughes, Fire Chief, moved to amend he budget's total figure to read $2,635,777.00, by adding $180,000.00 to in item #63 Salary. This is the amount needed in order to keep six men ho re slated to be cut as of July 1st. Chief Hughes explained that the ee is there and that these men shouldn't be cut. It would not be for he best interest of the Town. Public safety should be a priority and not ut back. Henry Sullivan spoke in favor of the motion to amend. He ta ed that as a retired state trooper he saw many examples of firemens ut es other than fires. They are always at accidents with the jaws of if trying to rescue people from vehicles, before or during a fire. Any yo of emergency calls pertaining to health a fireman could be present it oxygen, or performing CPR before an ambulance arrives. Anytime a um n life is invloved a price shouldn't be put on the value. William al on of the Local Fireman Union spoke in favor. He explained that the ep rtment is already below the required recommended amount of personnel o ave on hand to maintain equipment/shifts. The budget is already down o he minimum before any of these cuts are performed. He asked for up ort of the amendement. The Finance Committee spoke against the motion o mend. If this motion passes the Town would be faced with an nb lanced budget. Selectman Henrick Johnson spoke against the motion, nf rtunately the Selectmen had no choice but to recommend the cut. A en thy discussion took place. Michael Anthony moved to amend the me dment. After viewing the motion the Moderator declared the motion out f rder. More discussion took place. Barry Balan moved the question. oi e vote taken, motion carried unanimously. The Moderator asked for a oi e vote on the motion to amend the Fire Department budget by increasing t 180,000.00. This vote left the chair in doubt, the Moderator asked o a show of hands, motion carried. He asked for further discussion, ea ing none he read the amended budget figures. He read from the Hydrant ev ice through the Tree Warden Department the asking for any need for is ussion after reading the line items and the total budget figure.

Under the Highway Department, James Sousa moved to amend line item #89 al ry to read $652,745.00 for a total budget figure of $1,409,538.00. h Board of Selectmen and the Finance Committee were against this motion. Th Moderator asked for a voice vote, motion defeated.

Gerrit Vander-Heide, moved to adjourn the meeting at this time. Both h Finance Committee and the Selectmen were against the motion. The o erator asked for a voice vote, motion defeated.

The Moderator continued to the budgets from Street Lighting down to o ell Mental Health. He asked for any need for discussion after reading h line items and the total budget figure.

Under the Health Department, James Sousa moved to amend line item #100 a ary to read $125,116.00 for a total budget of $167,343.00. The Finance o mittee did not recommend the motion. The Selectmen were also against h motion. The Moderator asked for a voice vote on the motion to amend. o ion defeated. He asked for further discussion, hearing none he read h Sewer Commission's budget asking for any need for discussion after e ding the line items and the total budget figure.

ider the Waste Collection Budget a discussion took place. Lawrence moved to amend the budget line #110 to read $0.00. The Finance ttee was against this motion. The Board of Selectmen were against tion. Selectman Ready explained that the Town was under a contract a collection company. As of July 1st, this was the third year of a year contract and the Town would have to pay the amount shown. The ator asked for a voice vote on the motion, motion defeated. More ssion took place. John Wilder moved to reduce the line item #110 of $1,182,334.00 by $180,000.00 for a total figure of 2,334.00. Which would be the monies needed for the Fire Department's t thus there would be a balance budget. He explained that perhaps mpany would allow the Town to cut back on their collection time. ad of once a week collection we could have collection every two . The Selectmen were against this. The Blue Ribbon Committee was ng into possible ways of recycling materials etc in order to decrease ost of waste collection for the next contract. But at this time this e amount needed and the conditions of the contract could not be ed. Edward Marshall moved the question to stop debate. Motion ed, unanimously. The Moderator asked for a voice vote on the motion end, motion defeated. He asked if there was any need for further ssion, hearing none we went on to the next budget.

nder the Education budget, the Moderator read the Shool Departments town funds line item of $20,491,884.00 minus the toal receipts of 8,413.00 for a Net Cost of $17,103,471.00 he asked for and ssion hearing none he then read the Nashoba Valley Technical High l Budget of $677,490.00. he asked for any need for discussion. r Glatt asked to return to the Education Budget. Arthur Glatt moved ange the Net Cost from $17,103,471.00 to $18,091.871.00. The Finance ttee Chairman Dwight Hayward, explained that the number of 91,884.00 is the figure that the Finance Committee recommends. The l Committee requested $21,480,284.00. The Finance does not recommend ighe figure. If voted this would make the budget out of balance. tman Ready explained that the Board of Selectmen wold not vote at time, to have another election to vote an override.

A discussion took place. A number of voters spoke in favor of easing the budget. Voters felt if the Fire Department's budget was eased then the School Department's should be increased also. A cut d hurt property investments plus the future of the children in town. Olsson ,Chairman of the School Committee, explained that up to this ing, the School Committee had $76,117.00 left to cut from their budget rder to meet the Finance Committee's figure. He presented a list of s along with the amounts to be cut. There would be twenty three nnel layed off. One administrator, class room size would be eased. Beginning this fall the freshman class of 1992 would be cut on their required courses needed to graduate. Other areas were shown would be effected. James DeProfio spoke in favor of increasing the et. The need is there to go beyound the basic requirements, which be the results after the cuts are made. The working world is far more etitive now. The average student needs to have the extra activities are sited to be cut. Arthur Glatt state that once the budget is cut Town will never be able to return to the same quality education. He that the voters would in fact vote for an override. They have seen cuts and would be willing to provide the extra moneyneeded for ing. Selectman Ready explained that as of yet the people in town have seen or felt the cuts. That is why the Board feels that next year if ed the Selectman will support an override and ask for one. People do believe that the town does not have any money. If this budget passes the increase figure than nothing "has changed" as fas as those who d for the override are concern. The "hidden money" would be found.

ne own Meeting Body should go by the wishes of those who voted in the lec ion--over 6,000 voters voted in favor and the majority vote should be eco nized, not the action of a town meeting vote.

Barry Balan moved to amend the figure to add $76,000.00 to the ina ce Committee requested figure for a total of $20,567,884.00. A isc sion took place. Samuel Poulton a member of the School Committee but pea ing as a voter in the town, expressed concern over the cuts that were ein proposed by the Committee. He felt that the voters at town meeting ad s much right to vote what they felt was right, regardless of how the ote s voted at the Annual Town Election. He felt that $900,000.00 is not eed d, however the $800,000.00 being cut is an addition to cuts already ade An adiquite amount should be the amount requested. But due to the act that the School Committee agreeded with the Board of Selectmen and ne inance Committee to cut $800,000.00 if the override question failed nen they are obligated to work with the budget cut. Selectman Johnson xpl ined that because of state law, the Town must have a balanced budget, n o der to set a tax rate so revenues can come in. Joseph Campobasso ove the question to stop debate. Motion carried unanimously. A voice ote was taken on the motion to amend the amendement the figure by nc asing the Finance Committee's figure $76,000.00 Motion defeated. ar Foster questioned the vote. The Moderator asked for another voice ote motion defeated. Discussion followed concerning the motion to amend o f gure to read $21,480,284.00. Malcolm Roberts moved to amend this igu e to read $21,000,000.00. He felt that this figure would be one that he School Committee would be able to work with. He believed in quality duc tion, and did not want to see any cuts in the budget. Discussion took lac . The Finance Committee was against the motion, if voted it would nc ase the budget 580,000.00 which the Town does not have. The Board of ele tmen and the School Committee were against the motion to amend. dwa d Marshall moved the question which would stop debate. Motion ar ed, unanimously. The Moderator asked for a voice vote on the motion o mend the budget figure to read $21,000,000. Motion defeated. The ha was questioned on the voice vote. The tellers came forward and on ucted a hand count. Yes 179 No 109 motion carried.

Selectmen Ready moved to adjourned the meeting until Monday May 23rd t 7:30 PM at the McCarthy Middle School. The Finance Committee was ga nst the motion. After a discussion Selectman Ready withdrew the ot on.

Selectman Ready then moved to reconsider the School Department's ud et of $21,000,000.00. The Finance Committee was in favor of e nsideration. A Discussion took place Arthur Glatt moved the question o top debate. Motion carried, unanimously. The Moderator asked for a oi e vote on the motion to reconsider the School Department's budget. ot on defeated.

Barry Bell moved to accept line items 111-149 inclusively in total as s ngle package as amended by the Finance Committee. The Finance m mittee was against the motion. They felt that the departments should e eard individually. Both the Moderator and Town Counsel ruled the ot on out of order. Barry Bell withdrew his motion.

William Dalton moved to take Unemployment Benefits (State) and line te 146 out of order. The Finance Committee was in favor, the Board of el ctmen did not recommend one way or the other. The Moderator asked for v ice vote motion carried. William Dalton explained that without six ir men being layed of, that the employment benefits could be reduced at ni time by $180,000.00. The Finace Committee and the Board of Selectmen

:re against the motion. The Finance Committee explained that the money
iown may still be needed by the time the budget is fully balanced and did
)t want to reduce it in any way. The Moderator asked for a voice vote,
)tio defeated. The Chair was questioned on the vote. A show of hands
is asked, the Chair was still left in doubt, the tellers came forward and
)nducted a hand count: Yes 106 No 146 motion defeated.

'he Modertor read the Cemetery department's line items and total
idget figure. He asked for any discussion hearing none he went on to the
)uncil on Aging. James Sousa moved to amend line item #116 Salary to
ead $92,833.00 for a total budget of $116,491.00. The Finance committee
id the Board of Selectmen were against the motion. A voice vote was
ake, motion defeated. The Moderator asked if there was any need for
urther discussion on this budget? Hearing none he went on and read from
he ultural Coucil through the Debt Service, asking if there was any need
or iscussion after reading the line items and the total budget figure
or ach department.

'he Moderator read the motion under article 16 reflecting the figure
eedd. Town Treasurer James Doukszewicz, moved that the Town vote to
ais and appropriate the sum of $38,877,462.00 to defray Town charges for
he iscal period from July 1, 1988 to June 30, 1989.

'he Finance Committee does not recommend the figure. The town will
ave an unbalanced budget if this figure is voted. This will not be in
he best interest of the Town. The Treasurer will not be able to borrow
onies. A Special Town Meeting will have to be called and the budget will
ave to be brought back up to be level funded. The Moderator asked for a
oice vote. Motion defeated. The Chair was questioned on the vote, the
ellers came forward and conducted a hand count Yes 178 No 71 Motion
arried. The Budget reads as follows:

	FY88 Appropriated (Includes Special Town Meetings and Reserve Fund Transfers)	FY89 Department Requests (Assumes Full Funding)	FY89 Finance Committee Recommendation (For Balanced Budget)
ENERAL GOVERNMENT: 5% OF TOTAL BUDGET			
CCOUNTING DEPARTMENT			
1. Salary	$ 105,626	$ 112,430	$ 112,430
2. Expense	9,459	3,000	3,000
3. Outlay	1	1	1
otal Accounting Department	$ 115,086	$ 115,431	$ 115,431
SSESSORS DEPARTMENT			
4. Salary	$ 141,512	$ 164,392	$ 160,861
5. Expense	59,065	56,970	56,970
6. Outlay	1,100	800	800
7. Legal Services	1,012	5,000	5,000
8. Revaluation Update	47,500	33,000	33,000
otal Assessors Department	$ 250,189	$ 260,162	$ 256,631
OARD OF APPEALS			
9. Expense	$ 6,161	$ 6,317	$ 6,317
	1987 Annual Receipts: $6,475		
CABLE TV COMMISSION			
10. Expense	$ 3,500	$ 3,650	$ 3,650
CONSERVATION COMMISSION			
11. Salary	$ 6,242	$ 6,398	$ 6,398
12. Expense	7,400	7,615	7,615
Total Conservation Commission	$ 13,642	$ 14,013	$ 14,013
	1987 Annual Receipts: $2,450		
CONSTABLE			
13. Salary	$ 500	$ 500	$ 500
DATA PROCESSING			
14. Expense	$ 7,404	$ 18,670	$ 18,670
ELECTIONS			
15. Wages & Expenses	$ 18,788	$ 24,459	$ 24,459
FINANCE COMMITTEE			
16. Expense	$ 3,000	$ 3,150	$ 3,150
HISTORICAL COMMISSION			
17. Expense	$ 1,501	$ 1,561	$ 1,560
HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION			
18. Expense	$ 1,000	$ 1,500	$ 1,500

	FY88 Appropriated (Includes Special Town Meetings and Reserve Fund Transfers)	FY89 Department Requests (Assumes Full Funding)	FY89 Finance Committee Recommendation (For Balanced Budget)
)SURANCE (LIABILITY)			
). Expense	$ 680,421	$ 722,009	$ 722,009
.W			
0. Salary	$ 500	$ 500	$ 500
1. Legal Services	55,000	55,000	55,000
2. Special Counsel	15,000	15,000	15,000
.3. Expense	750	750	750
otal Law Department	$ 71,250	$ 71,250	$ 71,250
EDICAL BILLS RETIRED POLICE & FIRE			
24. Expense	$ 10,000	$ 7,500	$ 2,500
IOBILE HOME RENT CONTROL BOARD			
25. Expense	$ 500	$ 525	$ 1
IODERATOR			
26. Salary	$ 300	$ 300	$ 300
27. Expense	75	75	75
otal Moderator	$ 375	$ 375	$ 375
NMAC			
28. Expense	$ 9,000	$ 9,068	$ 9,068
PERSONNEL BOARD			
29. Expense	$ 650	$ 650	$ 650
PERSONNEL DEPARTMENT			
30. Salary (Net of $23,400 Grant)	$ 9,104	$ 18,707	$ 10,207
31. Expense	5,300	2,250	750
32. Outlay	0	1	1
Total Personnel Department	$ 14,404	$ 20,958	$ 10,958
PLANNING BOARD			
33. Salary	$ 18,502	$ 20,113	$ 20,113
34. Expense	4,160	4,326	4,326
35. Outlay	1	1	1
Total Planning Board	$ 22,663	$ 24,440	$ 24,440
	1987 Annual Receipts: $10,150		
PUBLIC BUILDINGS			
36. Supt. of Buildings	$ 20,412	$ 0	$ 0
37. Salary	62,358	89,401	80,401
38. Expense	64,304	67,850	66,850
39. Supervision Fee	2,000	0	0
40. Outlay	3,000	4,000	4,000
Total Public Buildings	$ 152,074	$ 161,251	$ 151,251
*Line items 36 & 37 are now combined	*1987 Annual Receipts: $30,242*		

	FY88 Appropriated (Includes Special Town Meetings and Reserve Fund Transfers)	FY89 Department Requests (Assumes Full Funding)	FY89 Finance Committee Recommendation (For Balanced Budget)
REGISTRARS DEPARTMENT			
41. Salary	$ 24,418	$ 26,257	$ 26,257
42. Expense (Net of $ 3400 Grant)	9,240	11,820	10,320
43. Outlay	1	1	1
Total Registrars Department	$ 33,659	$ 38,078	$ 36,578
SELECTMEN DEPARTMENT			
44. Salary	$ 94,739	$ 100,531	$ 108,489
45. Expense	23,550	18,200	18,200
46. Outlay	1	1	1
47. Out of State	1,200	1,500	1,500
Total Selectmen Department	$ 119,490	$ 120,232	$ 128,190
1987 Annual Receipts: $41,336			
TOWN CLERK			
48. Salary	$ 108,609	$ 110,357	$ 109,507
49. Expense	7,375	6,700	6,700
50. Out of State	800	1,150	1
51. Outlay	425	1	1
Total Town Clerk Department	$ 117,209	$ 118,208	$ 116,209
1987 Annual Receipts: $28,089			
TOWN CLOCK			
52. Expense	$ 600	$ 0	$ 1.00
TOWN & FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORTS			
53. Expense	$ 6,000	$ 6,500	$ 6,500
TREASURER/COLLECTOR			
54. Salary	$ 167,123	$ 179,021	$ 179,021
55. Expense	29,300	34,625	34,624
56. Outlay	500	3,400	1
Total Treasurer/Collector	$ 196,923	$ 217,046	$ 213,646
1987 Annual Receipts: $249,583			
PUBLIC SAFETY: 13.7% OF TOTAL BUDGET			
DOG OFFICER DEPARTMENT			
57. Salary	$ 28,243	$ 30,025	$ 22,025
58. Expense	3,000	8,000	8,000
59. Pound Rental	6,000	0	1
60. Care of Live Animals	1,800	1,800	1,800
Total Dog Officer Department	$ 39,043	$ 39,825	$ 31,826
1987 Annual Receipts: $16,691			
EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY			
61. Expense	$ 2,190	$ 4,190	$ 2,190
62. Outlay	1,101	1,101	1,101
Total Emergency Management Agency	$ 3,291	$ 5,291	$ 3,291

	FY88 Appropriated (Includes Special Town Meetings and Reserve Fund Transfers)	FY89 Department Requests (Assumes Full Funding)	FY89 Finance Committee Recommendation (For Balanced Budget)
FIRE DEPARTMENT			
63. Salary	$ 2,410,500	$ 2,459,282	2,459,282
64. Expense	129,409	157,010	157,010
65. Out of State	1,000	1,000	1,000
66. Outlay	13,360	18,485	18,485
Total Fire Department	$ 2,554,269	$ 2,635,777	2,635,777
1987 Annual Receipts: $2,457			
HYDRANT SERVICE			
67. Center	$ 54,700	$ 54,900	$ 0
68. North	19,300	19,300	0
69. East	7,000	7,000	0
Total Hydrant Service	$ 81,000	$ 81,200	$ 0
INSECT/PEST CONTROL			
70. Salary	$ 1,250	$ 1,250	$ 1,250
71. Expense	10,800	10,800	5,800
Total Insect/Pest Control	$ 12,050	$ 12,050	$ 7,050
INSPECTION DEPARTMENT			
72. Salary	$ 172,702	$ 179,126	$ 179,126
73. Expense	16,226	17,251	17,251
74. Out of State	500	500	500
75. Outlay	1	1	1
Total Inspection Department	$ 189,429	$ 196,878	$ 196,878
1987 Annual Receipts: $230,176			
POLICE DEPARTMENT			
76. Salary	$ 2,261,635	$ 2,335,449	$ 2,315,449
77. Expense	224,812	212,309	212,309
78. Out of State	1,050	1,500	1,500
79. Outlay	1	1	1
80. Expense—Auxiliary	3,070	2,631	2,631
81. Outlay—Auxiliary	400	100	100
82. Police Mutual Aid	2,000	0	1
Total Police Department	$ 2,492,968	$ 2,551,990	$ 2,531,991
1987 Annual Receipts: $231,236			
SEALER OF WEIGHTS & MEASURES			
83. Salary	$ 2,100	$ 2,100	$ 2,100
84. Expense	300	300	300
Total Sealer of Weights & Measures	$ 2,400	$ 2,400	$ 2,400
1987 Annual Receipts: $1,181			
TRAFFIC & SAFETY COMMITTEE			
85. Expense	$ 90,000	$ 94,300	$ 49,300

	FY88 Appropriated (Includes Special Town Meetings and Reserve Fund Transfers)	FY89 Department Requests (Assumes Full Funding)	FY89 Finance Committee Recommendation (For Balanced Budget)
REE WARDEN DEPARTMENT			
86. Salary	$ 1,000	$ 1,000	$ 1,000
87. Expense	13,875	13,875	13,875
88. Outlay	1	1	1
otal Tree Warden Department	$ 14,876	$ 14,876	$ 14,876
IIGHWAYS: 4.17% OF TOTAL BUDGET			
IIGHWAY DEPARTMENT			
89. Salary	$ 637,489	$ 662,745	$ 652,745
90. Expense	464,994	483,593	458,593
91. Snow & Ice	270,000	270,000	270,000
Total Highway Department	$ 1,372,483	$ 1,416,338	$ 1,381,338
Appropriation from Revenue Sharing	0	7,000	7,200
Net Cost Highway Department	$ 1,372,483	$ 1,409,338	$ 1,374,138
	1987 Annual Receipts: $1,130		
STREET LIGHTING			
92. Expense	$ 168,000	$ 150,000	$ 140,000
TOWN ENGINEER			
93. Salary	$ 78,287	$ 84,492	$ 84,492
94. Expense	9,385	18,885	10,885
95. Outlay	2,000	1,000	1,000
96. Out of State	1	1	1
Total Town Engineer	$ 89,673	$ 104,378	$ 96,378
HEALTH & SANITATION: 4.06% OF TOTAL BUDGET			
ANIMAL INSPECTOR'S DEPARTMENT			
97. Salary	$ 1,000	$ 1,000	$ 1,000
98. Expense	400	400	400
Total Animal Inspector's Department	$ 1,400	$ 1,400	$ 1,400
LOWELL MENTAL HEALTH			
99. Expense	$ 9,000	$ 12,000	$ 12,000
HEALTH DEPARTMENT			
100. Salary	$ 118,525	$ 125,116	$ 123,256
101. Expense	32,225	32,225	32,225
102. Outlay	1	1	1
103. Out of State	1	1	1
104. Mosquito Control	10,000	10,000	10,000
Total Health Department	$ 160,752	$ 167,343	$ 165,483
	1987 Annual Receipts: $28,138		
SEWER COMMISSION			
105. Salary	$ 60,731	$ 112,408	$ 91,999
106. Expense	20,500	48,000	45,000
107. Professional Fees	55,000	65,000	65,000
108. Outlay	1	1	1

	FY88 Appropriated (Includes Special Town Meetings and Reserve Fund Transfers)	FY89 Department Requests (Assumes Full Funding)	FY89 Finance Committee Recommendation (For Balanced Budget)
109. Out of State	5,000	6,000	5,000
Total Sewer Commission	$ 141,232	$ 231,409	$ 207,000
WASTE COLLECTION			
110. Expense	$ 1,182,334	$ 1,182,334	$ 1,182,334
EDUCATION: 54.8% OF TOTAL BUDGET			
CHELMSFORD SCHOOL DEPARTMENT			
School Committee	$ 33,860	$ 61,415	
Superintendent's Office	400,000	352,533	
Supervision	103,420	125,706	
Principals	896,163	931,844	
Teaching	11,204,980	12,024,058	
Textbooks	119,137	106,375	
Library	280,420	299,878	
Audio-Visual	149,858	155,001	
Guidance	622,508	646,912	
Educational TV	62,645	62,905	
School Attendance	36,750	39,635	
Health Services	153,493	170,525	
Transportation	869,216	961,174	
Food Services	29,000	30,329	
Athletics	217,585	240,000	
Other Student Activities	66,962	75,000	
Custodial	1,122,351	1,255,360	
Utilities	813,450	813,450	
Maintenance of Grounds	40,000	40,000	
Maintenance of Buildings	102,206	102,206	
Maintenance of Equipment	224,024	243,430	
Programs with Other Schools	10,000	10,000	
Add Back	11,900	0	
Sub-Total	17,569,928	18,747,736	
Chapter 766	2,428,576	2,742,548	
Total	19,998,504	21,490,284	21,010,000
Minus Tuitions	70,000		
Minus Community Education			
Minus PL874	20,000	10,000	10,000
Total Town Funds	$ 19,908,504	$ 21,480,284	$ 21,000,000
NASHOBA VALLEY TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOL			
111. Total Town Assessment	$ 637,520	$ 677,490	$ 677,490
COMMUNITY SERVICE: 2.87% OF TOTAL BUDGET			
CEMETERY DEPARTMENT			
112. Salary	$ 140,401	$ 155,564	$ 155,564
113. Expense	24,588	28,702	28,702

	FY88 Appropriated (Includes Special Town Meetings and Reserve Fund Transfers)	FY89 Department Requests (Assumes Full Funding)	FY89 Finance Committee Recommendation (For Balanced Budget)
114. Out of State	500	500	1
115. Outlay	3,094	4,800	2,800
Total Cemetery Department	$ 168,583	$ 189,566	$ 187,067
1987 Annual Receipts: $14,938			
COUNCIL ON AGING			
116. Salary	$ 84,556	$ 92,831	$ 83,831
117. Expense	22,750	23,660	20,660
Total Council on Aging	$ 107,306	$ 116,491	$ 104,491
CULTURAL COUNCIL			
118. Expense	$ 100	$ 100	$ 100
ELDER SERVICES OF MERRIMACK VALLEY			
119. Expense	$ 1,800	$ 1,800	$ 1,800
COMMISSION ON HANDICAPPED AFFAIRS			
120. Expense	$ 100	$ 1,900	$ 1,900
LIBRARY DEPARTMENT			
121. Salary	$ 450,675	$ 497,151	$ 486,176
122. Expense	79,262	89,220	89,220
123. Books & Periodicals	112,550	132,250	120,750
124. Outlay	1	4,000	1
125. Out of State	1	1,000	500
Total Library Department	$ 642,489	$ 723,621	$ 696,647
1987 Annual Receipts: $16,853			
VETERANS BENEFITS DEPARTMENT			
126. Salary	$ 51,088	$ 58,237	$ 58,237
127. Expense	4,300	4,470	4,470
128. Outlay	100	0	1
129. Cash & Material Grant	53,000	55,120	55,120
Total Veterans Benefits Department	$ 108,488	$ 117,827	$ 117,828
Grant Reimbursement @75%			
PARKS & RECREATION: .31% OF TOTAL BUDGET			
EDWARDS MEMORIAL BEACH			
130. Expense	$ 700	$ 1,000	$ 700
PARK DEPARTMENT			
131. Salary	$ 40,919	$ 41,902	$ 41,902
132. Expense	6,700	6,700	6,700
133. Outlay	1	1	1
Total Park Department	$ 47,620	$ 48,603	$ 48,603
RECREATION COMMISSION			
134. Salary	$ 41,533	$ 44,843	$ 44,843
135. Expense	25,842	26,833	16,833

	FY88 Appropriated (Includes Special Town Meetings and Reserve Fund Transfers)	FY89 Department Requests (Assumes Full Funding)	FY89 Finance Committee Recommendation (For Balanced Budget)
136. Outlay	1	1	1
Total Recreation Commission	$ 67,376	$ 71,677	$ 61,677
VARNEY PLAYGROUND			
137. Salary	$ 3,150	$ 3,308	$ 3,308
138. Expense	1,999	2,099	2,099
139. Outlay	1	6,300	3,300
Total Varney Playground	$ 5,150	$ 11,707	$ 8,707
PUBLIC CELEBRATION: .01% OF TOTAL BUDGET			
HOLIDAY DECORATION COMMITTEE			
140. Expense	$ 750	$ 750.	$ 750
MEMORIAL DAY COMMITTEE			
141. Expense	$ 1,000	$ 1,500	$ 1,000
TOWN CELEBRATION COMMITTEE			
142. Expense	$ 2,900	$ 10,545	$ 1,500
EMPLOYEE BENEFITS: 7.42% OF TOTAL BUDGET			
COUNTY RETIREMENT ASSESSMENT			
143. Expense	$ 1,182,317	$ 1,327,360	$ 1,288,092
INSURANCE (LIFE & MEDICAL)			
144. Expense	$ 1,040,525	$ 1,300,656	$ 1,300,656
Transfer from overlay surplus reserve			-450,000
			850,656
MEDICARE TAX (FICA)			
145. Expense	$ 27,500	$ 32,500	$ 32,500
UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS (STATE)			
146. Expense	$ 40,000	$ 30,000	$ 239,268
VETERANS PENSION CLAIMS			
147. Expense	$ 6,375	$ 6,630	$ 6,630
DEBT SERVICE: 7.68% OF TOTAL BUDGET			
DEBT & INTEREST			
PRINCIPAL PAYMENTS:			
Westland and Harrington Schools	$ 70,000	$ 0	$ 0
Byam School	100,000	100,000	100,000
School Bldg. Capital Improv #5	0	0	0
School Bldg. Capital Improv #6	540,150	0	0
School Computer Purchase	0	0	0
Sewer Plans & Design	252,000	250,000	250,000
Capital Improv Art. 13-1986	0	575,000	575,000
Sewer Construction Phase 1***	0	500,000	500,000
Conservation Land Purchase	0	175,000	175,000
148. Total Principal Payments	$ 962,150	$ 1,600,000	$ 1,600,000

	FY88 Appropriated (Includes Special Town Meetings and Reserve Fund Transfers)	FY89 Department Requests (Assumes Full Funding)	FY89 Finance Committee Recommendation (For Balanced Budget)
INTEREST PAYMENTS:			
Anticipation and other Temporary Loans	$ 240,000	$ 230,000	$ 230,000
Bond Anticipation Notes***	0	550,000	550,000
Westland and Harrington Schools	3,010	0	0
Byam School	15,000	9,000	9,000
School Bldg. Capital Improv #5	0	0	0
School Bldg. Capital Improv #6	24,307	0	0
School Computer Purchase	0	0	0
Sewer Plans & Design	32,447	21,340	21,340
Capital Improv Art. 13-1986	79,940	100,375	100,375
Capital Improv Art. 17-1987	0	58,190	58,190
Sewer Construction Phase 1***	0	342,000	342,000
Conservation Land Purchase	30,205	58,480	58,480
149. Total Interest Payments	$ 424,909	$ 1,369,385	$ 1,369,385

***Exempt Principal and Interest $1,392,000

UNDER ARTICLE 17 Dwight Hayward, Chairman of the Finance Committee, ov d to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of 2(,000.00 to be used as a Reserve Fund at the Discretion of the Finance on ittee, as provided in General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 6.

The Selectmen supported the article.. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 34 Dwight Hayward, Chairman of the Finance Committee ov d that the Town vote to instruct the Board of Assessors to issue a sum f $204,613.00 from Free Cash in the Treasury for the reduction of the Tax a .

The Moderator asked for a voice vote, motion carried, unanimously.

Michael McTeague moved to adjourned the meeting seeing that there was o further business at hand. Motion carried, unanimously. The meeting d urned at 12:35 AM.

e nis McHugh, Moderator

Mary E. St.Hilaire, Town Clerk

TOWN WARRANT FOR STATE PRIMARY ELECTION

SEPTEMBER 15, 1988

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

IDDLESEX, SS.

o the Constable of the Town of Chelmsford:

REETING:

n the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and arn the Inhabitants of said Town who are qualified to vote in rimaries to vote at:

recinct 1:	Town Offices Gymnasium, 50 Billerica Road
recinct 2:	Harrington School Gymnasium, 120 Richardson Road
recinct 3:	Harrington School Gymnasium, 120 Richardson Road
recinct 4:	Westlands School Cafeteria, 170 Dalton Road
recinct 5:	Byam School Cafetorium, 25 Maple Road
recinct 6:	Westlands School Cafeteria, 170 Dalton Road
recinct 7:	McCarthy Middle School Small Gymnasium, 250 North Road
recinct 8:	McCarthy Middle School Small Gymnasium, 250 North Road
recinct 9:	Town Offices Gymnasium, 50 Billerica Road

n Thursday the fifteenth day of September 1988, from 7:00 A.M. to :00 P.M. for the following purpose:

To cast their votes in the State Primary for the candidates of olitical parties for the following offices:

ENATOR IN CONGRESS	FOR THE COMMONWEALTH
EPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS	FIFTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT
OUNCILLOR	THIRD COUNCILLOR DISTRICT
ENATOR IN GENERAL COURT	FIFTH MIDDLESEX SENATORIAL DISTRICT
EPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT	SIXTEENTH MIDDLESEX CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT
LERK OF COURTS	MIDDLESEX COUNTY
EGISTER OF DEEDS	MIDDLESEX NORTHERN DISTRICT
OUNTY COMMISSIONERS (2)	MIDDLESEX COUNTY
OUNTY TREASURER	MIDDLESEX COUNTY (TO FILL VACANCY)

ereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings hereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this first day of September, A.D. 1988.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN OF TOWN OF CHELMSFORD

Dennis J. Ready, Chairman

Henrick R. Johnson, Jr. Vice Chairman

Bonita A. Towle, Clerk

Bradford O. Emerson

Roger A. Blomgren

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

IDLESEX, SS SEPTEMBER 2,1988

usuant to the within warrant, I have notified and warned the
nabitants of the Town of Chelmsford by posting up attested
oies of same at the following places, to wit:
on Office Building Gym, Harrington School Gymnasium, Harrington
cool Gymnasium, Westland School Cafeteria, Byam School
aetorium, Westland School Cafeteria, McCarthy Middle School
mll Gymanisum, McCarthy Middle School Small Gymanisum, and Town
fice Building Gym, and Town Office Building Lobby.

Signed:
William E. Spence
William E. Spence,
Constable

rue Copy Attest, William E. Spence
William E. Spence, Constable

	Pct 1	Pct 2	Pct 3	Pct 4	Pct 5	Pct 6	Pct 7	Pct 8	Pct 9	TOTAL	
U.S. SENATOR											
Edward M. Kennedy	69	34	40	75	38	83	48	58	39	484	
All Others	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Blanks	12	15	24	29	14	13	17	20	11	155	
TOTAL	81	49	64	104	52	96	65	78	50	639	
REP IN CONGRESS 5rh Congressional District											
Chester G. Atkins	65	32	45	75	37	75	45	55	41	470	
All Others	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Blanks	16	17	19	29	15	21	20	23	9	169	
TOTAL	81	49	64	104	52	96	65	78	50	639	
COUNCILLOR 3rd District											
Herbert L. Connolly	11	10	15*14	15	13	25	11	18	12	129	130*
Robert B. Kennedy	60	35	45*45	77	35	62	42	47	30	433	
All Others	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Blanks	10	4	4* 5	12	4	9	12	13	8	77	76*
TOTAL	81	49	64	104	52	96	65	78	50	639	
SENATOR IN General Ct 5th Middlesex											
Carol C. Amick	63	37	45	85	38	73	48	62	39	490	
All Others	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Blanks	18	12	19	19	14	23	17	16	11	149	
TOTAL	81	49	64	104	52	96	65	78	50	639	
STATE REP General Court 16th Middlesex											
Henry E. Sullivan	65	32	47	79	30	76	43	60	31	463	
All Others	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	
Blanks	16	17	17	25	22	20	21	18	19	175	
TOTAL	81	49	64	104	52	96	65	78	50	639	
CLERK OF COURTS Middlesex											
Edward J. Sullivan	63	35	47	80	34	79	45	55	34	472	
All Others	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Blanks	18	14	17	24	18	17	20	23	16	167	
TOTAL	81	49	64	104	52	96	65	78	50	639	
REGISTER OF DEEDS Mldsx Northern											
Edward J. Early Jr	60	36	48	82	35	73	40	56	34	464	
All Others	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Blanks	21	13	16	22	17	23	25	22	16	175	
TOTAL	81	49	64	104	52	96	65	78	50	639	

*results of a recount ordered by State held on Sept 28,1988

	Pct 1	Pct 2	Pct 3	Pct 4	Pct 5	Pct 6	Pct 7	Pct 8	Pct 9	TOTAL
COUNTY COMMISSIONER (2) Middlesex										
Thomas J. Larkin	30	17	24	32	20	35	23	21	25	227
Matthew Donahue	49	27	44	63	31	56	44	52	25	391
Edward J. Kennedy Jr	38	20	23	55	20	47	28	29	19	279
Joseph R. Macaluso	3	9	11	13	7	8	5	13	7	76
All Others	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Blanks	42	25	26	45	26	46	30	41	24	305
TOTAL	162	98	128	208	104	192	130	156	100	1278
COUNTY TREASURER Middlesex										
James E. Fahey Jr	59	33	47	75	34	73	41	50	34	446
All Others	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Blanks	22	16	17	29	18	23	24	28	16	193
TOTALS	81	49	64	104	52	96	65	78	50	639

	Pct 1	Pct 2	Pct 3	Pct 4	Pct 5	Pct 6	Pct 7	Pct 8	Pct 9	TOTAL
U.S. SENATOR										
Joseph D. Malone	42	35	32	46	34	64	42	36	39	370
All Others	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Blanks	13	5	9	6	6	5	15	8	5	72
TOTAL	55	40	41	52	40	69	57	44	44	442
REP IN CONGRESS 5th Congressional District										
All Others	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Blanks	55	40	41	52	40	69	57	44	44	442
TOTAL	55	40	41	52	40	69	57	44	44	442
COUNCILLOR 3rd District										
Jody Dow	32	34	26	43	32	58	36	26	33	320
All Others	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Blanks	23	6	15	9	8	11	21	18	11	122
TOTAL	55	40	41	52	40	69	57	44	44	442
SENATOR IN General Court 5th Middlesex										
Edward Rudnitsky	38	33	27	41	33	56	37	29	29	323
All Others	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Blanks	17	7	14	11	7	13	20	15	15	119
TOTAL	55	40	41	52	40	69	57	44	44	442
STATE REP General Court 16th Middlesex										
Carol C. Cleven	47	35	39	50	40	69	54	38	41	413
All Others	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Blanks	7	5	2	2	0	0	3	6	3	28
TOTAL	55	40	41	52	40	69	57	44	44	442
CLERK OF COURTS Middlesex										
All Others	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Blanks	55	40	41	52	40	69	57	44	44	442
TOTAL	55	40	41	52	40	69	57	44	44	442
REGISTER OF DEEDS Mldsx Northern										
All Others	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Blanks	55	40	41	52	40	69	57	44	44	442
TOTAL	55	40	41	52	40	69	57	44	44	442

	Pct 1	Pct 2	Pct 3	Pct 4	Pct 5	Pct 6	Pct 7	Pct 8	Pct 9	
COUNTY COMMISSIONER (2) Mldsx										
All Others	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Blanks	110	79	82	104	80	138	114	88	88	883
TOTAL	110	80	82	104	80	138	114	88	88	884
COUNTY TREASURER Mldsx										
All Others	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Blanks	55	40	41	52	40	69	57	44	44	442
TOTAL	55	40	41	52	40	69	57	44	44	442

WARRANT FOR SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

September 19, 1988

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

IDDLESEX, SS.

o the Constable, or any other suitable persons of the Town of helmsford:

n the name of the Commonwealth, aforesaid, you are hereby requested o notify and warn the legal voters of said Chelmsford to meet in the lcCarthy Middle School Auditorium on Monday evening, the 19th day of eptember, 1988 at 7:30 p.m., then and there to act upon the ollowing Articles, Viz:

ARTICLE 1. To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate from available funds a certain sum of money to The Charter Commission expense account, pursuant to Mass. General Laws Chapter 43B Section 8; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 2. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the sum of $7,100 in the Fiscal 1989 Budget under Council on Aging from Line Item 117 Expense to Line Item 116 Salary to maintain existing staff; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 3. To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate from available funds a certain sum of money to the Fiscal 1989 Budget Treasurer/Collector Line Item 56 Outlay for the purpose of purchasing a check printer; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 4. To see if the Town will vote to reduce the Fiscal 1989 Budget for The Chelmsford School Department by a certain sum of money for the purpose of balancing the budget; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 5. To see if the Town will vote to reduce the Fiscal 1989 Budget under Unemployment Benefits (State) Line Item 146 Expense by a certain sum of money for the purpose of balancing the budget; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 6. To see if the Town will vote to reduce the Fiscal 1989 Budget under Insurance (Liability) Line Item 19 Expenses by a certain sum of money for the purpose of balancing the budget; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 7. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to acquire by purchase, eminent domain or otherwise, the property in fee simple, with the buildings and trees thereon, located on Bartlett Street in the Town of Chelmsford, Massachusetts and further described in a deed recorded in the Middlesex North Registry of Deeds, Book 2176, Page 504, for the purpose of constructing an addition to the Adams Public Library;

and to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, transfer and appropriate from available funds, transfer and appropriate from the Stabilization Fund, transfer and appropriate revenue sharing funds and/or borrow a certain sum of money to defray all necessary costs, fees and expenses in connection with the acquisition of said land and for paying any damages which may be awarded as the result of any such taking;

and to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Library Trustees with the consent and under the supervision of the Board of Selectmen to negotiate and execute all necessary and proper contracts and agreements thereto;

and to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, transfer and appropriate from available funds, transfer and appropriate from the Stabilization fund, transfer and appropriate revenue sharing funds and/or borrow a certain sum of money for the purpose of the design and construction of an addition to the Adams Public Library, and renovate the existing Adams Public Library, and for related legal, administrative, contractors, consultants, architectural, and other pertinent expenses, and to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Library Trustees, with the consent and under the supervision of the Board of Selectmen, to negotiate and execute all necessary and proper contracts and agreements thereto; or act in relation thereto.

Acceptance of this article and the expenditure of any funds authorized by it shall be contingent upon the approval by the Town of an exemption from Proposition 2 1/2 limitations to the extent of repaying any principle of and interest on the borrowing of any expenditure herein. Approval for an exemption of Proposition 2 1/2 shall be by ballot vote at either a state or local election as required by the statute; or act in relation thereto.

Library Trustees

ARTICLE 8. To see if the Town will vote to amend Article 14 of the Fiscal 1989 Annual Town Meeting authorizing the Town to petition the Great and General Court of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to enact Special Legislation establishing a Town of Chelmsford Public Works Department by adding the Varney Playground Commission to the petition to be included in said Public Works Department; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 9. To see if the Town will vote to rescind a portion of the appropriation and a portion of the authorization for the Treasurer to borrow pursuant to Mass. General Laws Chapter 44, Section 7 under Article 17 of The Annual Town Meeting commenced April 27, 1987 by reducing the sum of money $112,500.00 thereby reducing the total authorization and appropriation under said Article to $2,003,481.00; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen
Capital Planning

ARTICLE 10. To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate from available funds a certain sum of money with which to pay bills of previous years; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 11. To see if the Town will vote to Amend The Town of Chelmsford General By-Laws Article VI Police Regulations, by adding the following Section 21 Unregistered Motor Vehicle Bylaw:

SECTION 21. UNREGISTERED MOTOR VEHICLE BYLAW

1. Except as may be provided herein, not more than one unregistered motor vehicle shall be placed, stored or kept on property except property used for business or industrial purposes and for a period not to exceed 1 year. No unregistered motor vehicle shall be stored, placed or kept on a "paper street" or private way. All privately owned unregistered motor vehicles shall be stored, placed and kept on private property.

2. Subject to the conditions herein set forth, the Board of Selectmen may issue a permit authorizing an applicant to place store or keep more than one such motor vehicle on such property.

3. Any such permit may be issued by the Board of Selectmen only after said Board has

a) Held a public hearing on the application therefor, fourteen days' notice of the time, place and subject matter of which has been given at the expense of the applicant (i) by publication in a newspaper of general circulation in the Town and (ii) by registered or certified mail to the last known address of all owners of land abutting upon the property in question as appearing upon the Assessor's most recent tax list, and

b) Determined that the presence of more than one such motor vehicle on such property

(i) Will not constitute a danger to the safety and welfare of the inhabitants of the Town, and

(ii) Will not create or continue a condition detrimental and injurious to the neighborhood in which the property in question is located.

4. Each such permit that may be issued by said Board

a) Shall be issued as a personal privilege of the applicant and not as a grant attached to and running with the land, and

b) Shall include a reasonable time limit but not for a period longer than one year, and

c) May specify a location on the property where such motor vehicle or vehicles will not be exposed to the view of abutting residents or the general public.

5. This By-Law does not apply

a) To motor vehicles in enclosed buildings, or

b) To motor vehicles of property where the principal business use is a farm, garden or nursery use provided such motor vehicle is necessary to the operation of such business.

6. The enforcing authority under this By-law shall be the Chelmsford Police Department.

7. The enforcing authority shall give written notice of any violation of this By-law to the person committing the violation. Thirty days after receipt of such notice of violation, the person receiving the notice shall be liable to a penalty of not more than fifty dollars for each separate offense. Each day of a continuing violation shall constitute a separate offense.

8. Said violation shall be punishable as provided in Article 1 of The Town of Chelmsford General By-laws; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 12. To see if the Town will amend the Zoning By-Law and Map by changing form RB (Residential B. District) to CD (General Commercial District) the following described property owned by Mary E. Tevlin:

The land in Chelmsford, Middlesex County, with the buildings thereon, situated on the easterly side of Bartlett Street, and bounded:

Beginning at the northwesterly corner of the premises on the southeasterly line of said Street and at the southwesterly corner of land of Catherine D. Riney, now or formerly; thence southwesterly and southerly by said Bartlett Street, two hundred eighty-three and 79/100 (283.79) feet to land of Arthur G. Scoboria, now or formerly; thence easterly by said Scoboria Lane, one hundred thirty-seven and 69/100 (137.69) feet to Lot D on a plan entitled "Plan of Land in Chelmsford, Mass., belonging to the estate of J. Adams Bartlett, surveyed September 1945 by J.C. & W.T. Monahan, Civil Engineers & Surveyors," and recorded in Middlesex North District Deeds, Plan Book 71, Plan 46; thence northerly by said Lot D, eighty (80) feet; thence westerly by said Lot D, fifteen (15) feet, more or less, to Lot B on said Plan; thence northeasterly still by said Lot D, one hundred sixty-eight and 96/100 (168.96) feet to said Riney Land; thence northwesterly by said Riney Land, eighty-nine and 63/100 (89.63) feet to the point of beginning.

A portion of the premises being shown as Lots B & C on said plan and the remaining part of said premises being shown on a plan entitled, "Plan of Land in Chelmsford, Mass. belonging to J. Adams Bartlett, surveyed April 16, 1896 Smith & Brooks Civil Engineers" and recorded with said Deeds, Plan Book 12, Plan 24, containing twenty-seven thousand nine hundred eighty-four (27,984) square feet, more or less, all as shown in the Deed recorded at Book 2176, Page 504; or take any action in relation thereto.

Planning Board
Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 13. To see if the Town will vote to amend the General By-Laws, Article VI, Police Regulations by adding the following Section 22. Prohibition of Trapping:

Section 22. Prohibition of Trapping

1. It shall be prohibited and unlawful for any person to Trap fur bearing mammals within the Town of Chelmsford.

2. The definitions set forth in General Law Chapter 131, Section 1 of "to Trap," as said act applies to fur bearing mammals, are incorporated herewithin.

3. The Police Department and/or Animal Control Officer of Chelmsford shall be authorized to enforce this By-Law pursuant to Article 1 of the Town of Chelmsford General By-Laws.

4. The fine for each violation of this section shall be Three Hundred Dollars ($300.00), with each violation constituting a separate offense. Said violations shall be punishable as provided in Article 1 of the Town of Chelmsford By-Laws; or act in relation thereto.

Petition

ARTICLE 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer and appropriate a certain sum of money for the purpose of increasing the Police Department Fiscal 1989 Budget Line Item 76 Salary, to fund negotiated wage and salary increases; or act in relation thereto.

Board of Selectmen

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant with your doings at the time and place of said meeting. Given unto our hands this 1st day of September, A.D. 1988.

Dennis J. Ready, Chairman

Henrick R. Johnson, Jr., Vice Chairman

Bonita A. Towle, Clerk

Bradford O. Emerson, Member

Roger A. Blomgren, Member

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

IDDLESEX, SS SEPTEMBER 2, 1988

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fice Building Gym, and Town Office Building Lobby.

Signed:

William E. Spence
William E. Spence,
Constable

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SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

September 19, 1988

The Special Town Meeting was called to order at 7:55PM at the arthy Middle School Auditorium, by the Moderator Dennis McHugh, who ognized the presence of a quorum. There were 379 voters present.

The Moderator explained the Town Meeting procedures and also pointed the location of the fire exit doors within the auditorium.

Selectman Dennis J. Ready moved that the reading of the Contable's urn of service and the posting of the warrant be waived. It was so ed, unanimously. Selectman Dennis J. Ready moved that the reading of entire warrant be waived. It was so voted unanimously.

Selectman Dennis J. Ready moved to allow the Executive Secretary, nard Lynch who is a non resident to speak from time to time. Motion ried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 1 Selectman Dennis J. Ready, moved that the Town vote transfer and appropriate from Article 14 of the Special Town Meeting September 25, 1986 the sum of $15,000.00 to the Charter Commission ense account, pursuant to Mass. General Laws Chapter 43B Section 8.

James Geary, Chairman of the Charter Commission, explained that the rter Commission has been meeting regularly listening to speakers from ious cities and towns concerning charters and there effects. The mission will be preparing a final report in January, and a consultant needed to prepare it. State law requires that the Board of Selectmen d a copy to every household were at least one registered voter ides. The mailing alone is estimated to be at least $5,000.00. He ed for the Town Meeting body's support.

Before the Moderator could continue on, a group of people entered auditorium carrying signs and standing in the aisles along the walls. asked that either the signs be turned around or left outside the litorium. He did not want the assembly to be intimidiated by the ns. William Dalton stated that this was the right of their first ndment, and it would be violated if not permitted to stand with their ns. The Moderator asked Town Counsel for an opinion. James rington, Town Counsel explained that the Moderator oversees the Town ting and he is within his rights of the Town Meeting rules of order by ing this request. The group agreed with the decision and left the litorium and the meeting continued.

The Finance Committee supported the article. Motion carried, nimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 2 Selectman Dennis J. Ready moved that the Town vote transfer the sum of $5,500.00 in the Fiscal 1989 Budget under Council Aging from Line Item 117 Expenses to Line Item 116 Salary to maintain sting staff.

Executive Secretary Bernard Lynch explained that due to the ancial cuts of the Annual Town Meeting budget for FY89 this department back on its personnel. Now that there is some monies available and need is there for additional staffing, the Selectmen asked for port of the article. The Finance Committee recommended the article. ion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 3 Selectman Dennis J. Ready moved that the Town vote transfer and appropriate from Article 14 of the Special Town Meeting September 25, 1986 the sum of $3,999.00 to the Fiscal 1989 Budget asurer/Collector Line Item 56 Outlay for the purpose of purchasing a ck printer.

James Doukszewicz, Treasurer/Tax Collector, explained that he had inally requested this item in his FY89 Budget, but due to the cuts in expenses he had to drop this item. This item is a necessity and will a time saving factor. Presently the checks are typed by hand on carbon e checks, if a mistake is made, the check and copies must be changed hand. The check printer will avoid any corrections that must be made hand. The Finance Committee supported the article. Motion carried, nimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 4 Selectman Dennis J. Ready moved that the Town vote reduce the Fiscal 1989 Budget for the Chelmsford School Department by sum of $232,438.00 for the purpose of balancing the budget.

Selectman Ready explained that this article and the next two were amounts needed to balance the budget for FY89. A question was raised cerning the School Committee's view of this article. Carl Olsson, irman of the School Committee explained that he as an individual ported this article. The Committee as a whole hadn't seen this figure il tonight. James Doukszewicz Town Treasurer and the Finance Committee ported the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 5 Selectman Dennis J. Ready moved that the Town vote reduce the Fiscal 1989 Budget under Unemployment Benefits (State) Line m 146 Expense by the sum of $39,268 for the purpose of balancing the get.

Selectman Ready explained that because the Town isn't laying off sonnel at this time, then the above figure reflects a savings for the n. The Finance recommends the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 6 Selectman Dennis J. Ready moved that the Town vote reduce the Fiscal 1989 Budget under Insurance (Liability Line Item 19 enses by the sum of $60,000.00 for the purpose of balancing the budget.

The Finance Committee is in favor of the article. Motion carried, nimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 7 Mark Gauthier, Vice Chairman of the Library stee's, gave a presentation on the article. He explained that the ure of $961,900.00 is 25% of the estimated construction cost. The er 75% needed for its completion would be applied for through a state nt. The Town's portion would be broken down as follows $375,000.00 ld be the amount needed to buy the land. $586,900.00 is the monies ded to show the town's good faith in applying for the state grant to ng the total Town's investment of 25%. The deadline for applying for grant is January 4, 1989. The Finance Committee spoke in favor of

article. David McLachlan, Chairman of the Library Building Committee, ke in favor of the article. A discussion followed with voters speaking and against the article. Edward Marshall moved the question to stop ate. The Moderator made numerious attempts to receive and unanimous e, which failed. The following tellers came forward and a hand count taken:

ryl Warshafsky	Jocelyn Anthony	Michael Anthony
liam Drury	Jane Drury	Margaret Johnson
h Delaney	Judith Hass	Carol Stark
	Edward Marshall	

ult of the hand count Yes 294 No 11, motion carried to stop debate. Moderator attempted for an unanimous vote which failed, the tellers e forward and conducted a hand count. The results Yes 263 No 60 2/3's ded is 216 the motion carried and the article reads as follows:

k Gauthier, Vice Chairman of the Library Trustees, moved that the Town e to authorize the Selectmen to acquire by purchase, eminent domain erwise, the property in fee simple, with the buildings and trees reon, located on Bartlett Street in the Town of Chelmsford, sachusetts and further described in a deed recorded in the Middlesex th Registry of Deeds, Book 2176, Page 504, for the purpose of tructing an addition to the Adams Public Library; that the sum of 1,900.00 be appropriated for this acquisition, for the design and struction of an addition to the Adams Public Library,for the novation of the existing Adams Public Library, and for related legal, inistrative, and other pertinent expenses; that to meet this propriation, the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen be horized to borrow the sum of $961,900.00 under G.L.C.44, Section 7; l that the Board of Library Trustees, with the consent and under the pervision of the Board of Selectmen, be authorized to contract for and pend any federal or state aid available for the project and to take any her action necessary for the project; provided, however, that this vote ll not take effect until the Town votes to exempt from the limitation total taxes imposed by G.L. C 59, Section 21 C (Propostion 2 1/2) ounts required to pay the principal of and interest on the borrowing horized by this vote.

UNDER ARTICLE 8 Selectman Dennis J. Ready moved that the Town vote amend Article 14 of the Fiscal 1989 Annual Town Meeting authorizing e Town to petition the Great and General Court of the Commonwealth of ssachusetts to enact Special Legislation establishing a Town of elmsford Public Works Department by adding the Varney Playground mmission to the petition to be included in said Public Works Department.

Selectman Ready moved that the Town vote to dismiss this article. er Town Counsel researched this article it was found that because it s a playground it could not come under the jurisdiction of a DPW. The derator asked for a voice vote on the motion to dismissed, motion ried unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 9 James Doukszewicz, Chairman of the Capital Planning mmittee, moved that the Town vote to rescind a portion of the propriation and a portion of the authorization for the Treasurer to row pursuant to Mass. General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 7 under ticle 17 of the Annual Town Meeting commenced April 27, 1987 by

ucing the sum of money $112,500.00 thereby reducing the total horization and appropriation under said Article to $2,003,481.00.

James Doukszewicz explained that the purpose of this article is to cel the prior authorization allowing monies to be spent on certain ms listed in the Capital Planning article. By voting this article it l be reducing the total sum to $2,003,481.00. The original amount horized was $2,115,981.00. The Finance Committee recommended the icle. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 10 Selectman Dennis J. Ready moved that the Town vote transfer and apropriate from Article 14 of the Special Town Meeting of tember 25, 1986 the sum of $2,332.00 with which to pay bills of vious years.

The Finance Committee recommended the article. Motion carried, nimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 11 Selectman Dennis J. Ready moved that the Town vote amend the Town of Chelmsford General By-laws Article VI Police ulations by adding the following Section 21 Unregistered Motor Vehicle aw: SECTION 21 UNREGISTERED MOTOR VEHICLE BY-LAW

1. Except as may be provided herein, not more than one unregistered or vehcile shall be placed, stored or kept on property except property d for business or industrial purposes and for a period not to exceed year. No unregistered motor vehicle shall be stored, place or kept a "paper street" or private way. All privately owned unregistered or vehicles shall be stored, placed and kept on private property.

2. Subject to the conditions herein set forth, the Board of ectmen may issue a permit authorizing an applicant to place store or p more than one such motor vehicle on such property.

3. Any such permit may be issued by the Board of Selectmen only er said Board has:
(a) Held a public hearing on the application therefore, fourteen s' notice of the time, place and subject matter of which has been en at the expense of the applicant (i) by publication in a newspaper general circulation in the Town and (ii) by registered or certified l to the last known address of all owners of land abutting upon the perty in question as appearing upon the Assessor's most recent tax t, and

(b) Determined that the presence of more than one such motor vehicle such property

(i) Will not constitute a danger to the safety and welfare of the abitants of the Town, and

(ii)Will not create or continue a condition detrimental and jurious to the neighborhood in which the property in question is ated.

4. Each such permit that may be issued by said Board
(a) Shall be issued as a personal privilege of the applicant and not a grant attached to and running with the land, and

(b) Shall include a reasonable time limit but not for a period ger than one year, and

(c) May specify a location on the property where such motor vehicle vehicles will not be exposed to the view of abutting residents or the eral public

5. This By-Law does not apply
(a) To motor vehicles in enclosed buildings or

(b) To motor vehicles of property where the principal business use a farm, garden or nursery used provided such motor vehicle is essary to the operation of such business.

6. The enforcing authority under this By-Law shall be the lmsford Police Department.

7. The enforcing authority shall give written notice of any lation of this By-Law to the person committing the violation. Thirty s after receipt of such notice of violation, the person receiving the ice shall be liable to a penalty of not more than fifty dollars for h separtate offense. Each day of a continuing violation shall stitute a separate offense.

8. Said violation shall be punishable as provided in Article 1 of Town of Chelmsford General By-laws.

Selectman Henrick Johnson explained that presently this problem is ndled by the Building Inspector via the zoning by-laws, which does not ate a definite time and amount of vehicles allowed on the property. s by-law would strengthen the present law by stating a certain amount time a person would be allowed to have one unregistered car on the perty plus there will be a hearing process, handled by the Board of lectmen. The Finance Committee was is favor of the article. Motion ried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 12 James Geary, representing the Tevlin family plained the article. At the present time the land is zoned residential d after trying to sell the property, the family wants to re-zone it to neral Commercial District. However, first the family wants the Town to ve the first option on purchasing the land at the residential price for e possible library expansion, even after the zoning change is done. If e library is unable to expand, then the land will be sold for mmercial use. The Finance Committee was against the motion to re-zone. nes Douszkewicz spoke in favor of the article. He stated that the vlin family has been waiting for 2 1/2 years for some sort of ttlement between the town for a possible purchase and the property has en maintained and kept up and urged for the re-zoning. Richard Tevlin oke in favor of the article. He felt that the Finance Committee did t do a thorough research before making their recommendation. If the perty was re-zoned, the Town would receive more tax money due to it ing in a commerical zone. The family has been more than fair in iting for the Town to make a decision and asked for support. A scussion took place. A number of voters spoke for and against the ticle. The Moderator read the Planning Boards's recommendation: The anning Board, held a Public hearing on September 14, 1988 and voted in vor (7-0) of the proposal to change the zoning of Bartlett Street perty owned by one Mary E. Tevlin from the present RB district (single sidence) to CD district (general commerical district). The Moderator ked if there was any need for further discussion. Hearing none he tempted a voice vote which left the chair in doubt the tellers came rward and conducted a hand count: Yes 244 No 47 2\3's vote of 194 eded, the motion passes and reads as follows:

John McCarthy, Chairman of the Planning Board, moved that the Town vte to amend the Zoning By-law and Map by changing form RB (Residential B District) to CD (General commercial District) the following described poperty owned by Mary E. Tevlin:

The land in Chelmsford, Middlesex County, with the buildings tereon, situated on the easterly side of Bartlett Street, and bounded:

Beginning at the northwesterly corner of the premises on the sutheasterly line of said Street and at the southwesterly corner of land c Catherine D. Riney, now or formerly; thence southwesterly and sutherly by said Bartlett Street, two hundred eighty-three and 79/100 (83.79) feet to land of Arthur G. Scoboria, now or formerly; thence esterly by said Scoboria Lane, one hundred thirty-seven and 69/100 (37.69) feet to Lot D on a plan entitle "Plan of Land in Chelmsford, ss., belonging to the estate of J. Adams Bartlett, surveyed September 45 by J.C. & W.T. Monahan, Civil Engineers & Surveyors," and recorded Middlesex North District Deeds, Plan Book 71, Plan 46; thence rtherly by said Lot D, eighty (80) feet; thence westerly by said Lot D, fteen (15) feet, more or less, to Lot B on said Plan; thence rtheasterly still by said Lot D, one hundred sixty-eight and 96/100 68.96) feet to said Riney Land; thence northwesterly by said Riney nd, eighty-nine and 63/100 (89.63) feet to the point of beginning.

A portion of the premises being shown as Lots B & C on said plan and he remaining part of said premises being shown on a plan entitled, "Plan f Land in Chelmsford, Mass. belonging to J. Adams Bartlett, surveyed pril 16, 1896 Smith & Brooks Civil Engineers" and recorded with said eeds, Plan Book 12, Plan 24, containing twenty-seven thousand nine ndred eighty-four (27,984) square feet, more or less, all as shown in he deed recorded at Book 2176, Page 504.

UNDER ARTICLE 13 Kathleen Hillman moved to amend her motion as ollows:

irst: To Amend the heading to the by-law to read "section 22 Prohibition of trapping by means of the leghold and conibear trap"

econd: To amend subsection 1 to read "It shall be prohibited and unlawful for any person to set, trigger, activate, or otherwise use or cause to be set, triggered, activated or used any steel jawed leghold or conibear trap to be used for the capture of any animal."

he then yield the floor to James McBride who wanted to amend the motion lso. The Moderator won't allow the McBride amendment at this time, but ould allow the discussion because it was connected to the Hillman mendment. A discussion took place and James McBride then yield the floor ack to Kathleen Hillman who in turned discussed her motion to amend. he also explained that she had there in the hall, three non resident xperts who could answer further questions about the effects of trapping n beavers and other animals. Plus she had a video that she wanted to resent to the Town Meeting Body. The Moderator explained that the three "experts" would have to be voted individual permission allowing them to speak before the Town Meeting Body. The Town Meeting body express their pposition on viewing the film. The Moderator started to ask for a voice ote granting permissiion for one of the non-residents to speak when Joseph Paolilli questioned the quorum.

The Moderator called the tellers to come forward and begin a quorum count when Mr. Paolilli withdrew his motion questioning the quorum. Selectmen Dennis Ready then moved to table article 13 at this time, due to it seeming like a lengthy discussion was going to take place, in order to act on article 14. The Finance Committee was in favor of the motion to table. The Moderator attempted an unsuccessful voice vote, the tellers came forward and conducted an hand count Yes 167 No 81 motion carried to table article 13.

UNDER ARTICLE 14 Selectman Dennis J. Ready moved that the Town vote to transfer and appropriate from Article 14 of the Special Town Meeting of September 25, 1986 the sum of $62,000.00 for the purpose of increasing the Police Department Fiscal 1989 Budget Line Item 76 Salary, to fund negotiated Wage and Salary increases.

Bernard Lynch explained that the Town negotiated with the Police Union and agreed to use civilian dispatchers which would save the Town money. He urged the Town to vote for this article. The Finance Committee recommended the article. William Dalton moved the question. The Moderator asked if there was anyone else wishing to speak, hearing none he asked for a voice vote, motion carried, unanimously.

Selectmen Ready moved to remove article 13 from the table. The Finance Committee was also favor. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 13 Before any further discussion of this article could take place, Joseph Paolilli questioned the presence of a quorum. James McBride moved to adjourn the Special Town Meeting until Monday evening at 7:15 PM September 26, 1988 at the McCarthy Middle School Auditorium. A question was raised on how the Town Meeting Body could vote on anything further if there was no quorum. The Moderator explained that a quorum need not be present in order to adjourn a meeting to a certain place and time. A discussion took place. A question was raised on why there was a debate going on about adjourning when the actual question should be about the quorum being present. Town Counsel ruled that if a question is raised concerning adjournment that takes presidence over any other motion on the floor. More discussion took place. Patricia Griffin moved the question to stop debate about adjournment. The Moderator asked for any need for further discussion, hearing none he asked for a voice vote, which left the chair in doubt. He asked for the voters to raise their tickets, motion carried to adjourn until Monday September 26, 1988, at 7:15 PM at the McCarthy Middle School Auditorium. The Meeting adjourned at 10:20 PM.

Dennis McHugh, Moderator

Mary E. St.Hilaire, Town Clerk

ADJOURNED SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

September 26, 1988

The Adjourned Special Town Meeting was called to order at 8:35 PM at ;e McCarthy Middle School Auditorium, by the Moderator who recognized ;e presence of a quorum. There were 312 voters present.

UNDER ARTICLE 13 The Moderator read the article and the motion to ;end by Kathleen Hillman.

;ection 22. Prohibition of Trapping

. It shall be prohibited and unlawful for any person to trap fur bearing mammals within the Town of Chelmsford.

. The definitions set forth in General Law Chapter 131, Section 1 of "to Trap," as said act applies to fur bearing mammals, are incorporated herewithin.

. The Police Department and/or Animal Control Officer of Chelmsford shall be authorized to enforce this By-law pursuant to Article 1 of of the Town of Chelmsford General By-laws

. The fine for each violation of this section shall be Three Hundred ;ollars ($300.00), with each violation constituting a separate offense. ;aid violations shall be punishable as provided in Article 1 ;f the Town of Chelmsford By-laws.

;he motion to amend is as follows:

;irst: To Amend the heading to the by-law to read "section 22 Prohibition of trapping by means of the leghold and conibear trap"

Second: To amend subsection 1 to read "It shall be prohibited and unlawful for any person to set, trigger, activate, or otherwise use or cause to be set, triggered, activated or used any steel jawed leghold or conibear trap to be used for the capture of any animal."

Kathleen Hillman spoke about her motion to amend the article. The Moderator asked for any further discussion concerning the motion to amend. Rene LaRouche spoke against the article and the motion to amend. He expressed his views and concerns of the Town's cost factor on maintaining the beaver population in his area. His home abutts Deep Brook and has had problems with the beavers building dams and flooding his area. The only way there was any control of the population and problems was through trapping. At this point Kathleen Hillman broke in and read a letter from the N.E. Director of the Friends of Animals Steve Ruggeri which addressed this problem: "Please be advised that the New England Office of Friends of Animals, Inc. is prepared to provide assistance to the Town of Chelmsford, Ma or to any local resident by developing and implementing nuisance wildlife control projects which strictly and exclusively employ non-lethal measures." Rene LaRouche continued discussing his concerns. Selectman Henrick Johnson then spoke about the article and explained that he had experienced a situation with a trap as a child and felt that this

rticle and the amendment should be voted on. Fran McDougall also spoke bout her dog being caught in a trap. James McBride moved the question o stop any further debate on the amendment. The Moderator attempted a oice vote which failed the following tellers came forward to conduct a and count:

avid McLachlan	Jean Horgan	Michael Anthony
ocelyn Anthony	Ruth Delaney	Barbara Ward
eter Bagni	Gail Klemmer	Daniel Burke
	Phil Currier	

t this point Donna Luedecke questioned the presence of a quorum. The Moderator instructed the tellers to count the total number of voters present in the hall. The result was 310 voters present, the quorum by-law requires that 300 voters be present. The Moderator then asked the tellers to continue taking the hand count on the motion to stop debate on the motion to amend. The result of the hand count:
Yes 271 No 8 2/3's is 186, the motion passes. The Moderator asked for a voice vote on the main motion as amended, motion carried, unanimously.

Philip Currier moved the question to stop any further debate on the main motion as amended. The Moderator attempted a voice vote which failed, the tellers came forward and conducted a hand count. The result was Yes 261 No 8 2/3's is 178 the motion passes. The Moderator started to take a voice vote on the main motion as amended. Donna Luedecke questioned to quorum present, stating that at least 10 people had left the hall and requested a count be taken. The Moderator ruled the request out of order stating that only an estimated time of 5-10 minutes had passed since the last count. He asked for a voice vote on the main motion as amended. Motion carried and the article reads as follows:

Kathleen Hillman moved that the Town vote to amend th General By-laws, Article VI Police Regulations by adding the following Section 22. Prohibition of Trapping by means of the leghold and conibear trap:
Section 22. Prohibition of Trapping

1. It shall be prohibited and unlawful for any person to set, trigger, activate, or otherwise use or cause to be set, triggered, activated or used any steel jawed leghold or conibear trap to be used for the capture of any animal."

2. The definitions set forth in General Law Chapter 131, Section 1 of "to trap," as said act applies to fur bearing mammals, are incorporated herewithin.

3. The Police Department and/or Animal Control Officer of Chelmsford shall be authorized to enfore this By-law pursuant to Article 1 of of the Town of Chelmsford General By-laws

4. The fine for each violation of this section shall be Three Hundred Dollars ($300.00), with each violation constituting a separate offense. Said violations shall be punishable as provided in Article 1 of the Town of Chelmsford By-laws.

James McBride thanked the voters for attending the meeting and seeing that there was no further business at hand moved to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried, unanimously. The meeting adjourned at 9:35 PM.

Dennis McHugh, Moderator

Mary E. St.Hilaire, Town Clerk

WARRANT FOR THE SPECIAL TOWN ELECTION
NOVEMBER 1, 1988

MIDDLESEX, SS.

To the constable, or any other suitable person of the Town of Chelmsford:

GREETING

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid, you are hereby requested to notify and warn the legal voters of said Chelmsford to meet in their several polling places, Viz:

Precinct	1.	Town Office Building Gymnasium
Precinct	2.	Harrington School Gymnasium
Precinct	3.	Harrington School Gymnasium
Precinct	4.	Westland School Cafeteria
Precinct	5.	Byam School Cafetorium
Precinct	6.	Westland School Cafeteria
Precinct	7.	McCarthy Middle School, Small Gymnasium
Precinct	8.	McCarthy Middle School, Small Gymnasium
Precinct	9.	Town Office Building Gymnasium

On Tuesday, the first day of November, 1988 from 10:00 A.M. 8:00 P.M., for the following purpose:

To vote on the following question:

Question 1.

Shall the Town of Chelmsford be allowed to exempt from the provisions of proposition two and one-half, so-called, the amounts required to pay the bonds to be issued in order to acquire a certain parcel of land and construct thereon an addition to the Adams Public Library and to renovate the existing library building, all as described under Article 7 of the warrant for the September 19, 1988 special town meeting?

Yes
No

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

MIDDLESEX, SS

October 14, 1988

Pursuant to the within warrant, I have notified and warned the Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford by posting up attested copies of same at the following places, to wit:
Town Office Building Gym, Harrington School Gymnasium, Harrington School Gymnasium, Westland School Cafeteria, Byam School Cafetorium, Westland School Cafeteria, McCarthy Middle School Small Gymanisum, McCarthy Middle School Small Gymanisum, and Town Office Building Gym, and Town Office Building Lobby.

Signed:

William E. Spence,
Constable

True Copy Attest,

William E. Spence, Constable

reof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon
the time and place of said meeting.
ven under our hands this 12 day of October, A.D. 1988.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN OF TOWN OF CHELMSFORD

Dennis J. Ready, Chairman

Henrick R. Johnson, Jr V.Chrman

Bonita A. Towle, Clerk

Bradford O. Emerson

Roger A. Blomgren

SPECIAL TOWN ELECTION
NOVEMBER 1, 1988

	Pct 1	Pct 2	Pct 3	Pct 4	Pct 5	Pct 6	Pct 7	Pct 8	Pct 9	TOTAL
QUESTION 1										
Yes	132	82	188	126	162	187	221	110	163	1371
No	176	151	94	189	204	189	125	158	150	1436
Blanks	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2
TOTAL	309	233	282	315	366	376	346	268	314	2809

TOWN WARRANT FOR STATE ELECTION

NOVEMBER 8, 1988

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
MICHAEL JOSEPH CONNOLLY, SECRETARY

MIDDLESEX, SS.

To either of the Constables of the Town or City of Chelmsford

GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the Inhabitants of said Town who are qualified to vote in Elections to vote at:

Precinct 1: Town Offices Gymnasium, 50 Billerica Road
Precinct 2: Harrington School Gymnasium, 120 Richardson Road
Precinct 3: Harrington School Gymnasium, 120 Richardson Road
Precinct 4: Westlands School Cafeteria, 170 Dalton Road
Precinct 5: Byam School Cafetorium, 25 Maple Road
Precinct 6: Westlands School Cafeteria, 170 Dalton Road
Precinct 7: McCarthy Middle School Small Gymnasium, 250 North Road
Precinct 8: McCarthy Middle School Small Gymnasium, 250 North Road
Precinct 9: Town Offices Gymnasium, 50 Billerica Road

on TUESDAY, THE EIGHTH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1988 from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. for the following purpose:

To cast their votes in the State Election for the candidates for the following offices:

ELECTORS OF PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT ...	FOR THE COMMONWEALTH
U.S. SENATOR	FOR THE COMMONWEALTH
REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS	FOR THE FIFTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT
COUNCILLOR	FOR THE THIRD COUNCILLOR DISTRICT
SENATOR IN GENERAL COURT	FOR THE FIFTH MDLSEX. SENATORIAL DISTRICT
REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT	FOR THE 16TH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT
CLERK OF COURTS	MIDDLESEX COUNTY
REGISTER OF DEEDS	MIDDLESEX NORTH DISTRICT
COUNTY COMMISSIONERS (2)	MIDDLESEX COUNTY

VACANCY

In Middlesex County: COUNTY TREASURER

QUESTIONS

#1 - INCREASED SALARIES FOR CERTAIN STATE OFFICIALS
#2 - REPEALING THE PREVAILING WAGE LAW
#3 - REGULATING TREATMENT OF FARM ANIMALS
#4 - STOPPING ELECTRIC POWER PLANTS THAT PRODUCE NUCLEAR WASTE

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon
at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this 17day of October, A.D. 1988.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN OF TOWN OF CHELMSFORD

Dennis J. Ready, Chairman

Henrick R. Johnson, Jr V.Chrman

Bonita A. Towle, Clerk

Bradford O. Emerson

Roger A. Blomgren

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

MIDDLESEX, SS

Oct 20, 1988

Pursuant to the within warrant, I have notified and warned the Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford by posting up attested copies of same at the following places, to wit:
Twn Office Building Gym, Harrington School Gymnasium, Harrington School Gymnasium, Westland School Cafeteria, Byam School Cfetorium, Westland School Cafeteria, McCarthy Middle School Sall Gymanisum, McCarthy Middle School Small Gymanisum, and Town Office Building Gym, and Town Office Building Lobby.

Signed:

William E. Spence,
Constable

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** The Offices of Pres & Senator will reflect diff totals due to Fed absentee ballots counted.

*state indicated possible write-in candidates

STATE ELECTION
November 8, 1988

	Pct 1	Pct 2	Pct 3	Pct 4	Pct 5	Pct 6	Pct 7	Pct 8	Pct 9	TOTAL
PRESIDENT & VICE PRESIDENT										
Bush & Quayle	1029	1084	1037	920	1222	1095	1259	983	1156	9785
Dukakis & Bentsen	729	816	683	766	783	746	788	813	750	6874
Fulani & Dattner	2	6	1	4	4	1	0	6	4	28
Paul & Marrou	17	28	27	28	26	24	28	24	20	222
Kenoyer & Ehrenreich *	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dodge & Ormsby*	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
All Others	0	4	1	0	0	1	1	2	3	12
Blanks	27	15	13	29	27	24	28	21	29	213
TOTAL**	1804	1953	1762	1747	2062	1891	2104	1849	1962	17134
SENATOR & CONGRESS										
Edward M. Kennedy	993	1095	965	1015	1104	1002	1039	1083	1009	9305
Joseph D. Malone	767	794	756	687	888	839	1000	712	890	7333
Mary Fridley	6	5	7	1	14	10	6	7	9	65
Freda Lee Nason	8	12	10	8	10	9	13	12	14	96
All Others	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
Blanks	30	47	24	36	45	31	45	35	40	333
TOTAL**	1804	1953	1762	1747	2062	1891	2103	1849	1962	17133
REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS										
Chester G. Atkins	1386	1452	1372	1312	1561	1440	1561	1401	1484	12969
T. David Hudson	217	285	228	247	306	240	296	241	258	2318
All Others	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Blanks	201	216	162	188	195	210	244	207	220	1843
TOTAL	1804	1953	1762	1747	2062	1890	2102	1849	1962	17131
COUNCILLOR										
Jody Dow	601	587	612	515	727	653	788	582	738	5803
Robert B. Kennedy	992	1152	981	1064	1084	1050	1061	1077	1014	9475
Blanks	211	214	169	168	251	187	253	190	210	1853
TOTAL	1804	1953	1762	1747	2062	1890	2102	1849	1962	17131
SENATOR IN GEN. CT 5th Mldsx										
Carol C. Amick	1157	1208	1133	1122	1272	1186	1278	1188	1175	10718
Edward Rudnitsky	460	527	475	429	549	534	612	501	610	4697
Blanks	187	218	154	196	241	170	212	160	178	1716
TOTAL	1804	1953	1762	1747	2062	1890	2102	1849	1962	17131

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	Pct 1	Pct 2	Pct 3	Pct 4	Pct 5	Pct 6	Pct 7	Pct 8	Pct 9	TOTAL
REPRESENTATIVE In GEN. CT 16th Mldsx										
Carol C. Cleven	1305	1066	1122	952	1255	1148	1326	1027	1255	10186
Henry E. Sullivan	631	726	509	623	604	598	614	712	557	5574
All Others	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Blanks	137	161	131	172	203	144	162	110	150	1370
TOTAL	1804	1953	1762	1747	2062	1890	2102	1849	1962	17131
CLERK Of COURTS Mldsx Cty										
Edward J. Sullivan	1204	1381	1184	1206	1350	1278	1338	1301	1279	11521
All Others	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3
Blanks	598	572	578	541	712	612	764	548	682	5607
TOTAL	1804	1953	1762	1747	2062	1890	2102	1849	1962	17131
REGISTER OF DEEDS Mldsx										
Edward J. Early Jr	1189	1368	1178	1192	1341	1276	1324	1296	1252	11416
All Others	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Blanks	613	585	584	555	721	614	778	553	710	5713
TOTAL	1804	1953	1762	1747	2062	1890	2102	1849	1962	17131
COUNTY COMMISSIONER (2) Mldsx Cty										
Thomas J. Larkin	816	779	771	730	865	778	878	761	891	7269
Edward J. Kennedy Jr	877	1072	836	931	988	963	992	1002	909	8570
All Others	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	2
Blanks	1915	2055	1916	1833	2270	2039	2334	1935	2124	18421
TOTAL	3606	3906	3524	3492	4124	3778	4200	3698	3920	34262
TREASURER Mldsx Cty										
James E. Fahey Jr	1203	1333	1189	1193	1327	1243	1325	1236	1228	11277
All Others	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Blanks	599	620	573	554	735	647	777	613	733	5852
TOTAL	1804	1953	1762	1747	2062	1890	2102	1849	1962	17131
QUESTION 1										
Yes	245	277	244	220	274	257	304	270	279	2370
No	1499	1622	1489	1460	1732	1562	1755	1531	1646	14296
Blanks	60	54	29	67	56	71	43	48	37	465
TOTAL	1804	1953	1762	1747	2062	1890	2102	1849	1962	17131
QUESTION 2										
Yes	893	988	959	834	1082	1022	1231	953	1090	9052
No	873	932	767	860	942	819	827	841	831	7692
Blanks	38	33	36	53	38	49	44	55	41	387
TOTAL	1804	1953	1762	1747	2062	1890	2102	1849	1962	17131

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	Pct 1	Pct 2	Pct 3	Pct 4	Pct 5	Pct 6	Pct 7	Pct 8	Pct 9	TOTAL
QUESTION 3										
Yes	385	450	355	360	371	413	498	436	429	3697
No	1371	1459	1381	1323	1643	1407	1571	1372	1498	13025
Blanks	48	44	26	64	48	70	33	41	35	409
TOTAL	1804	1953	1762	1747	2062	1890	2102	1849	1962	17131
QUESTION 4										
Yes	458	505	375	431	490	447	506	481	468	4161
No	1300	1419	1367	1268	1526	1403	1563	1325	1471	12642
Blanks	46	29	20	48	46	40	33	43	23	328
TOTAL	1804	1953	1762	1747	2062	1890	2102	1849	1962	17131

WARRANT FOR THE ANNUAL TOWN MEETING
APRIL 4, 1989 AND APRIL 24, 1989

MIDDLESEX, SS.

To the constable, or any other suitable person of the Town of Chelmsford:

GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid, you are hereby requested to notify and warn the legal voters of said Chelmsford to meet in their several polling places, Viz:

Precinct 1.	Town Office Building Gymnasium
Precinct 2.	Harrington Elementary School Gymnasium
Precinct 3.	Harrington Elementary School Gymnasium
Precinct 4.	Westlands School Cafeteria
Precinct 5.	Byam School Cafeteria
Precinct 6.	Westlands School Cafeteria
Precinct 7.	McCarthy Middle School, Small Gymnasium
Precinct 8.	McCarthy Middle School, Small Gymnasium
Precinct 9.	Town Office Building Gymnasium

On, Tuesday, the fourth (4th) day of April, 1989, being the first Tuesday in said month, at 7:00 A.M., for the following purposes:

To bring in their vote for the following officers and questions:

Two Selectmen for three years

One Assessor for three years

One Cemetery Commissioner for three years

One Member of Board of Health for three years

One Park Commissioner for three years

One Sewer Commissioner for three years

One Sewer Commissioner unexpired, one year term to fill vacancy

Two Members of Public Library Trustees for three years

One Constable for three years

Two Members of School Committee for three years

Two Planning Board Members for three years

Question 1. Shall the Town of Chelmsford approve the new charter recommended by the charter commission summarized below?

Yes
No

Summary: If adopted the proposed charter would:establish a 162 member representative town meeting, 18 representatives elected for terms of three years each from each of the town's 9 precincts; establish the office of town manager, with responsibility for daily management of the town's business; provide for the election by the voters of a five member board of selectmen, the moderator, a five member school committee, a seven member planning board, a three member board of health, a seven member board of library trustees, a three member cemetery commission, a five member sewer commission, the housing authority and the constable; provide for strengthened financial procedures, the creation of a department of public works and flexibility to reorganize town agencies in the future; provide for the right of voters to recall elected officials.

Question 2. Shall the Town of Chelmsford be allowed to exempt from the provisions of Proposition two and one-half (2 1/2), so called, the amounts required to pay for the bonds to be issued in order to design and construct sewers, pump stations and force mains to complete the Town's Sewering Project to serve the Phase II and Phase III areas as defined in the Town's Facilities Plan for Wastewater Management as amended dated August, 1986, and additional "targeted need" areas; such amounts to be reduced by State and Federal grants that are made available for the projects?

YES
NO

The polls will be open from 7:00 A.M. to 8:00 P.M.; and to meet in the McCarthy Middle School Gymnasium on Monday, the twenty-fourth (24th) day of April, 1989, at 7:30 P.M. o'clock in the evening, then and there to act upon the following Articles, Viz:

ARTICLE 1. To hear reports of the Town Officers and Committees; or act in relation thereto.

ARTICLE 2. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Personnel Wage and Salary By-Law to be effective July 1, 1989, as follows:

1. Under Section 6 subtitled "Classification of Town Employees", amend Subsection (E)- "Wage and Salary Schedule" by deleting the existing schedule and substituting the following:

E. WAGE AND SALARY SCHEDULE
JULY 1, 1989-JUNE 30, 1990

GRADE LEVEL	SALARY RANGE
1	$ 8,312-$10,349
1A	13,501- 16,809
1B	15,260- 18,999
1C	17,022- 21,192
1D	20,543- 25,576
2	25,827- 32,155
3	34,632- 43,116
4	39,916- 49,695
5	45,201- 56,275

2. Under Section 3 subtitled "Personnel Board" by deleting paragraphs 1 and 2 and substituting the following:

"The plan shall be administered by a personnel board, consisting of five members, four of whom shall be known as public members and shall be appointed by the Town Moderator for two years; two in odd number years and the other two in even number years. Each term shall expire at the end of the appropriate fiscal year. The Town Moderator shall fill the unexpired term of any public member who resigns his appointment.

The fifth member, to be known as the personnel member, shall be elected by town employees who are subject to this by-law and whose name appears on the town payroll list for the Wednesday prior to the election or who otherwise is identified as an eligible voter. Each voter must be 18 years of age or over on the day of the election. The term of office shall be for two years and shall expire on July 1 of each odd numbered year. The election of the personnel member shall be secret and shall be supervised by a board of three election officers appointed by the Town Moderator. The election shall be held in June to be effective in July. Special elections shall be held to fill the unexpired term of the personnel member who resigned before the term has expired. All elections shall be held between the hours of 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. on a weekday selected by the above mentioned board of three election officers. Each permanent full time employee or part-time regular employee with a work schedule over twenty (20) or more hours per week will be granted one vote. All other eligible voters will be granted 1/2 vote each."

3. Under Section 14 subtitled "Vacation" by deleting Subsection (B) paragraph (IV) and adding the following:

IV. Employees who have been continuously employed for less than twenty years but more than ten years shall be granted four weeks vacation with pay.

V. Employees who have been continuously employed for more than twenty years shall be granted five weeks vacation with pay.

4. Under Section 17 subtitled "Leaves of Absence" by deleting Subsections (A), (B), (C) and substituting the following:

A. Without Pay: Leaves of absence may be granted by the appropriate Department Head but shall be without compensation.

B. With Pay: A maximum of 10 days per year will be provided for persons called into temporary active duty of any unit of U.S. reserves or the State National Gaurd. Employees will be paid the difference between their regular pay and the pay which they receive from the state or federal government.

5. By adding a new section subtitled Personal Leave as follows:

Section 18 PERSONAL LEAVE

A. All full time employees are limited to three days leave with pay for personal reasons.

B. Personal leave shall be granted to part-time regular employees with a work schedule over twenty (20) or more hours a week on a pro-rated basis.

C. Personal reasons may include business, legal, religious or other matters not covered elsewhere by the leave provisions of these by-laws. Personal leave will be granted for the remedy of problems which cannot be conveniently resolved at times other than during the customary work day. Specific personal reasons need not be given to supervisors but, except in cases of emergency when oral requests may be granted, requests for personal leave should be given in writing to supervisors at least 48 hours prior to the time the leave is to begin. Unused personal days will be added to sick days for accrual purposes.

6. Under Section 19 subtitled "Hours of Work" by deleting under Subsection (A) the following:

V. Youth Center 37 1/2 hours per week.

7. Under Section 4 subtitled "Scope of Plan and Authority of the Personnel Board" by adding the following subsection D:

D. The words "permanent full time employee(s)" as appearing in these by-laws shall have the same meaning as "full time employee(s)."

8. Under Section 24 subtitled "Job Titles and Standard Rates of Wage and Salaries of the Personnel Wage and Salary By-Law" by deleting the following positions:

Administrative and Clerical
15. Human Resources Director

Other Positions
7. Assistant Dog Officer
10. Clock Winder

9. Under Section 24 Subtitled "Job Titles and Standard Rates of Wages and Salaries of the Personnel Wage and Salary By-Law" by renumbering the following positions:

Administrative and Clerical
15. Town Clerk
16. Town Treasurer/Collector
17. Assessor
18. Assessor, Part-Time

Other Positions
6. Van Driver
7. Sealer of Weights and Measures
8. Animal Inspector
9. Town Engineer
10. Assistant Town Engineer
11. Respite Care Progam Director
12. Home Delivered Meals Coordinator
13. Superintendent of Buildings
14. Senior Citizens Activities Coordinator
15. Assistant Dog Officer

10. Under Section 24 Subtitled "Job Titles and Standard Rates of Wages and Salaries of the Personnel Wage and Salary By-Law" by adding the following positions:

Town Police Department
5. Civilian Dispatcher

Sewer Commission
1. Sewer Superintendent
2. Sewer Maintenance Mechanic

11. Under Section 25 Subtitled "Compensation for Academic Achievement" by deleting the entire section.

12. By renumbering the following Sections:

18. Personal Leave
19. Jury Duty
20. Bereavement and Funeral Leave
21. Hours of Work
22. The Work Week

23. Business Hours
24. Amendment
25. Repealer
26. Job Titles and Standard Rates For Wages and Salaries of the Personnel Wage and Salary By-Law.

or act in relation thereto.

PERSONNEL BOARD

ARTICLE 2A. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Personnel Wage and Salary By-Law by further amending Section 26, "Job Titles and Standard Rates for Wages and Salaries of the Personnel Wage and Salary By-Law", to conform to rates of pay negotiated by the Town with certain labor organizations, pursuant to General Laws Chapter 150E, and to reflect current salaries and grade levels under the Personnel By-Law as follows:

		7/88 - 7/89 Current Level	7/89 - 7/90 Proposed Level
ADMINISTRATIVE AND CLERICAL			
1.	Executive Secretary	5	5
2.	Town Accountant	3	3
3.	Veterans' Agent	2	2
4.	Council of Aging Director	2	2
5.	Assistant to Assessors	1D	1D
6.	Assistant Town Clerk	2	2
7.	Assistant Treasurer	2	2
8.	Clerk, Senior	1C	1C
9.	Clerk, Junior	1B	1B
10.	Clerk, Part-Time	1A	1A
11.	Town Counsel	$500 P.A.	$500 P.A.
12.	Board of Registrar, Three Members	$500 EA	$500 EA
13.	Assistant Town Accountant	2	2
14.	Admin. Assistant to the Executive Secretary	1D	1D
15.	Town Clerk	3	3
16.	Town Treasurer/Collector	3	3
17.	Assessor	3	3
18.	Assessor, Part-Time	1	1

OTHER POSITIONS

1.	Building Inspector	3	3
2.	Electrical Inspector	2	2
3.	Local Inspector	2	2
4.	Gas Inspector	#2 $8,500 P.A.	#2 $9,500 P.A.
5.	Dog Officer	1D	1D
6.	Van Driver	1B	1B
7.	Sealer of Weights and Measures	#2 $2,000 P.A.	#2 $2,000 P.A.
8.	Animal Inspector	#2 $1,000 P.A.	#2 $1,000 P.A.
9.	Town Engineer	3	4
10.	Assistant Town Engineer	2	2
11.	Respite Care Program Director	1D	1D
12.	Home Delivered Meals Coordinator	1A	1A
13.	Superintendent of Buildings	1D	1D
14.	Senior Citizens Activities Coordinator	1B	1B
15.	Assistant Dog Officer	1B	1B

FOOTNOTES
#1-Represented by Collective Bargaining
#2-Not in "Job Rating Plan"
#3-$4.25/Hr first year, $4.75/Hr second year, $5.25/Hr third year

or act in relation thereto.

PERSONNEL BOARD

ARTICLE 3. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, transfer and appropriate from available funds, transfer and appropriate from the Stabilization Fund and/or borrow a certain sum of money to engage a private accounting firm to prepare an audit of all accounts in all departments in the Town of Chelmsford; or act in relation thereto.

TOWN TREASURER

ARTICLE 4. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer and appropriate from available funds a certain sum of money with which to meet bills of previous years; or act in relation thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

ARTICLE 5. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Special Legislation enacted by the Great and General Court of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts establishing a Town of Chelmsford Public Works Department pursuant to a petition of the Town under Article 14 of the fiscal 1989 Annual Town Meeting; or act in relation thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

ARTICLE 6. To see if the Town of Chelmsford will vote to accept provisions of Section 12 of Chapter 188 of the Acts of 1985, the School Improvement Act, in relation to the Equal Educational Opportunity Grant in the amount of Seventeen Thousand Nine Hundred Twenty Dollars ($17,920.00), for the Nashoba Valley Technical High School, conditioned upon the funding of said programs by any source other than the Town of Chelmsford, and further conditioned upon, to the extent permitted by law, that said professional grant programs, and any monies paid to any employee of the Nashoba Valley Technical High School, shall not be used or considered a past practice for the purpose of collective bargaining and shall be nonrecurring lump sum payment not built into school employees salary schedules; or act in relation thereto.

NASHOBA VALLEY TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOL
DISTRICT COMMITTEE

ARTICLE 7. To see if the Town will vote to amend the School Transportation Policy adopted at a 1979 Special Town Meeting held on December 31, 1979 under Article 4, by deleting the existing Policy, and substituting in its place the following:

REVISED TRANSPORTATION POLICY
WALKERS AND RIDERS

It is the policy of the Chelmsford School Committee to provide transportation to those pupils whose health, distance from school, or safety makes this service essential. In establishing the policy, the Chelmsford School Committee will:

1. As a minimum, provide daily transportation to all students who meet the following criteria for "portal to portal" distance from their schools.

All elementary schools	0.40 mile
Middle Schools	0.75 mile
High School	1.00 mile

2. Adjust distances depending upon the accessibility of the roadway to standard 71 passenger school buses.

3. Provide buses which shall contain adequate seating accomodations for each passenger transported therein.

4. Endeavor to provide the safest possible school bus transportation and student walking program.

The School system will provide transportation in line with these principles. Reimbursement to the Town for transportation costs is given by the Commonwealth only for (a) students living at least one and one-half miles from school, (b) students who live more than one mile from the nearest bus stop, and (c) students with special needs for whom transportation must be provided,

or act in relation thereto.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

CONSERVATION, PARKS AND CEMETERY			
1.	Cemetery Superintendent	2	2
2.	Supt. of Insect and Pest Control	$1,250 P.A.	$1,250 P.A.
3.	Landscaper-Park	1A	1A
4.	Laborer-Park	1A	1A
5.	Unskilled Laborer	#2,#3	#2,#3
6.	Skilled Forest Workman Conservation	1A	1A
7.	Equipment Operator	1C	1C
8.	Park Superintendent	2	2
CUSTODIAL			
1.	Custodial	1B	1B
LIBRARY			
1.	Library Director	4	4
2.	Library Department Head	1D	2
3.	Library Specialist	1C	1C
4.	Library Assistant	1B	1B
5.	Library Clerk	1A	1A
6.	Maintenance Assistant	1B	1B
7.	Page	#2,#3	#2,#3
8.	Library Assistant Director	2	3
9.	Maintenance Specialist	1C	1C
HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT			
1.	Highway Superintendent	3	3
2.	Highway Foreman	2	2
TOWN FIRE DEPARTMENT			
1.	Fire Chief	#2	#2
2.	Deputy fire Chief	4	4
3.	Captain	#2	#2
4.	Truck Mechanic (Fire and Police)	2	2
5.	Auto Mechanic (Fire and Police)	1D	1D
TOWN POLICE DEPARTMENT			
1.	Police Cheif	5	5
2.	Deputy Chief	4	4
3.	Captain	3	3
4.	Trainee	$359.50 P.W.	$359.50 P.W.
5.	Civilian Dispatcher	1C	1C
RECREATION			
1.	Waterfront Director	1A	1A
2.	Swimming Instructor	1A	1A
3.	Lifegaurd	1A	1A
4.	Program Supervisor	1B	1B
5.	Recreation Specialist	1A	1A
6.	Recreation Leader	1A	1A
SEWER COMMISSION			
1.	Sewer Superintendent	3	3
2.	Sewer Maintenance Mechanic	2	2

TICLE 8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, ansfer and appropriate from available funds, transfer and propriate from the Stabilization Fund and/or borrow a certain sum money for the purpose of purchasing Four (4) Police Cruisers for e Police Department and to sell by good and sufficient bill of sale ur (4) obsolete vehicles; and to see if the Town will vote to thorize the Board of Selectmen to negotiate and execute all cessary and proper contracts and agreements thereto; or act in lation thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

TICLE 9. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the transfer unexpended funds from Article 17 of the 1987 Annual Town Meeting, the amount of $ 67,000.00, to an account to fund the following pital projects:

1.	Van for the Town Engineer Dept.	$ 15,000.00
2.	Masks for firefighters to conform with new regulations	$ 12,000.00
3.	Water back-flow installation at three school buildings	$ 40,000.00

act in relation thereto.

CAPITAL PLANNING

RTICLE 10. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a certain m of money for the following capital projects:

SEWER COMMISSION

1.	Truck for foreman	$ 14,000.00
2.	Completion of drainage facilities plan	$ 237,123.00
3.	Funds for alleviation of drainage problems	$ 30,000.00

CEMETERY COMMISSION

4.	Data processing equipment	$ 14,000.00

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

5.	Two 1/2-ton pick-up trucks	$ 28,000.00
6.	Road resurfacing	$ 400,000.00
7.	Sand screening plant	$ 40,000.00
8.	One cab and frame truck with sander	$ 48,000.00

POLICE DEPARTMENT

9.	Replace handguns	$ 14,000.00

FIRE DEPARTMENT

10.	New pumping engine	$ 195,000.00
11.	Improvements to station 03 building	$ 10,000.00

LIBRARY

12.	Exterior siding & insulation work for Carriage House, Children's House and Back Shed	$ 40,000.00

PUBLIC BUILDINGS

13.	Chairlift for Old Town Hall & installation	$ 20,000.00

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

14.	Rte. 129 traffic study	$ 50,000.00

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

15.	Gas burners at Byam School replaced	$ 31,000.00
16.	Septic system & treatment plant at High School	$ 10,000.00
17.	South Row Roof work	$ 225,000.00
18.	McCarthy Roofs recoated	$ 10,200.00
19.	New generator for McCarthy School	$ 25,500.00
20.	Restroom conversion work for handicap access	$ 75,000.00
21.	15 word processors for Grade 06 at McCarthy plus modems, wiring and installation	$ 30,000.00
TOTAL		$1,546,823.00

and to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, transfer and appropropriate from available funds, transfer and appropriate form the Stabilization Fund, transfer and appropriate from revenue sharing funds and/or borrow a certain sum of money to fund these obligations; or act in relation thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN
CAPITAL PLANNING

ARTICLE 11. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to acquire in fee simple by purchase, eminent domain or otherwise, a certain parcel of property situated at Hunt and Littleton Roads, more particularly described on a Plan entitled "Plan of Land, Chelmsford, Massachusetts, prepared by Howe Survey, Associates, March 16, 1989;" and on file with the Town Engineer, for highway purposes and to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, transfer from available funds, or borrow a certain sum of money to defray all necessary costs, fees and expenses in connection with the acquisition of said land and for paying any damage which may be awarded as the result of any such taking; or act in relation thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

ARTICLE 12. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, to lease for a ten year term, a certain parcel of land shown as Lot 51 on Assessors Map 26 with provisions for removing sand from the property for municipal purposes; and to raise and appropriate, transfer from available funds, transfer and appropriate from the stabilization fund, and/or borrow a certain sum of money for said purpose; or act in relation thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

ARTICLE 13. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Clause 41C and Clause 17D of Chapter 59, Section 5 of the General Laws of Massachusetts which permit limited property tax exemptions for qualifying low income residents; or act in relation thereto.

PETITION

ARTICLE 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be required to defray Town charges for the fiscal period from July 1, 1989 to June 30, 1990; or act in relation thereto.

TOWN TREASURER

ARTICLE 15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a certain sum of money to be used as a Reserve Fund at the discretion of the Finance Committee, as provided in General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 6; or act in relation thereto.

FINANCE COMMITTEE

ARTICLE 16. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, to enter into compensating balance agreements, during Fiscal Year 1990, as permitted by General Laws Chapter 41, Section 53F; or act in relation thereto.

TOWN TREASURER

ARTICLE 17. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Board of Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning July 1, 1989, in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 4, and to issue a note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 17 and 17(a); or act in relation thereto.

TOWN TREASURER

ARTICLE 18. To see if the Town will vote to transfer a cerain sum of money from the sale of graves and lots to the Improvement and Development Fund of the Cemetary Department; or act in relation thereto.

CEMETERY COMMISSION

ARTICLE 19. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Chelmsford Zoning By-Law by deleting the present zoning map and substituting the redrafted map proposed by the Planning Board, as filed with the Town Clerk, and displayed at the Annual Town meeting; or act in relation thereto.

PLANNING BOARD

ARTICLE 20. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of paragraph 13 of General Law Chapter 41 Section 81U, authorizing the Planning Board, with Selectmen approval, to use subdivision construction bond or deposit proceeds without appropriation, if the total amount of such proceeds do not exceed $100,000.00;

or act in relation thereto.

PLANNING BOARD

ARTICLE 21. To see if the Town will vote to amend the General By-law, Article V Streets and Sidewalks, as follows:

1. Under Section 2, Plans, Surveys, Measurements and Control by deleting Section 2.1 in its entirety and substituting in its place the following:

   2.1 Unless specifically waived by the Highway Superintendent, all applications for a permit under this By-Law shall be accompanied with the following:

2. Under Section 8, subtitled Construction Standards, by deleting Subsection 8.12 Grading, Rolling and Finishing in its entirety and substituting the following:

   8.12 Grading, Rolling and Finishing

   8.12.1 The word "approved" as appearing in Section 8 shall mean conforming to Massachusetts Department of Public Works Specifications, as amended.

   8.12.2 The trench in the street must be filled and temporarily resurfaced on the same day it is opened unless otherwise directed by the Highway Superintendent or his designee. The trench shall be backfilled with approved excavated materials to within nineteen and one-half (19 1/2) inches of the top. Eighteen (18) inches shall consist of approved gravel (State DPW Spec. M1.03.0 type b) and the remaining one and one-half (1 1/2) inches shall consist of temporary bituminous surface. Road surface shall be pre-cut to avoid damaging surfaces surrounding the trench. If the temporary road surface is not placed the first day, then as soon as directed

base course of the permanent pavement shall be placed and carefully raked to minimum surface and thoroughly rolled to the required thickness. Before placing the base course of the permanent pavement, the edge of the original bituminous surfacing shall receive an application of approved asphalt emulsion so that the new pavement material may be properly bonded to the existing pavement. All seams shall be sealed with an approved emulsified liquid asphalt and sand. The top course of the permanent paving shall be placed to a grade that will match the existing bituminous surface after rolling. The permanent paving shall not overlap the existing pavement and shall not have to be applied with a mechanical spreader unless otherwise directed by the Highway Superintendent. The permittee shall furnish, place, grade, and compact Bituminous Concrete Pavement of Class I Type I-1 as shown and specified in the latest Massachusetts State Department of Public Works Standard Specifications for Highways and Bridges. Unless otherwise approved by the Highway Superintendent, a full width overlay will be required if greater than 50% of the roadway pavement width will be distributed. In these cases, pavement overlay shall consist of one and one-half (1 1/2) inches of dense graded bituminous concrete and shall extend at least 30 feet beyond the street opening. Excavations shall be made in open cut. Funneling will be allowed by special permission of the Superintendent. All excavations and trenches shall be braced and sheathed when necessary as required by OSHA specifications. Street openings shall be maintained by the Permittee for a period of two (2) years from the date of completion. No additional permits shall be issued to the permittee or contractor who has any outstanding unmaintained street openings. After new full width permanent surface is laid, street surface openings shall be prohibited for a period of 3 years for major and minor arterial roads and 2 years for collector and local roads, except in cases where a variance is obtained pursuant to Section 14 of these by-laws. The list of streets as classified by the Highway Superintendent shall be kept on file at the Highway Department. All permanent pavement markings, including but not limited to crosswalks, traffic and center lines that are

by the Highway Superintendent, the gravel sub-base shall be excavated to the required grade in order to place one and one-half (1 1/2) inches of temporary bituminous surface. The temporary pavement shall be placed and raked to a uniform surface, rolled to the required thickness and to a grade that will match the existing bituminous road surface. The Permittee shall maintain the temporary surfacing and shall promptly fill with similar material any depressions and holes that may occur so as to keep the surfacing in a safe and satisfactory condition for traffic. Temporary resurfacing must be a minimum of one and one-half (1 1/2) inches compacted thickness and may consist of either so-called "Cold Patch" or plant mixed hot-asphalt aggregate, all as produced in accordance with the standard specifications of the Massachusetts Department of Public Works. The bituminous concrete surface shall not be placed until the expiration of 30 days from the date of completion of the temporary surface. The temporary sub-base shall be excavated to the grade required by these by-laws prior to placement of the bituminous concrete surface.

3. Under Section 8, Construction Standards, by deleting Subsection 8.13, Bituminous Concrete Pavement Replacement in its entirety and substituting the following:

8.13 Restoration of Permanent Paving

The Permittee shall remove and dispose of, in accordance with acceptable construction standards, all excavated material before proceeding with the remainder of the work and shall thoroughly compact the surface of the sub-base. Any broken or irregular edges of existing pavements shall be cut away in straight lines as directed by the Highway Superintendent, leaving a solid vertical face. The bituminous concrete base and top shall be laid and rolled in two (2) courses. The binder (base course) shall not be less than the existing roadway base course and shall not be less than two (2) inches in depth and the top course shall be one and one-half (1 1/2) inches in depth. The minimum total thickness of both courses, measured after rolling, shall be three and one-half (3 1/2) inches. The

obliterated or damaged during construction shall be repainted by or under the direction of the Highway Superintendent at the expense of the Permittee.

4. Under Section 8, Construction Standards, by deleting Subsection 8.16, Concrete Sidewalk Replacement and substituting in its place the following:

8.16 Concrete Sidewalk Replacement Cement concrete sidewalks shall be repaired by making a new concrete block or blocks through the trench passes. Pre-formed expansion joints, when deemed necessary, will be installed against buildings, walls, steps, foundations or existing concrete blocks. The new cement concrete square shall consist of Entrained Class "A" (3500 p.s.i.) mix. All concrete must be cured by covering with material in accordance with acceptable construction standards or as directed by the Highway Superintendent. All walks shall be laid over a minimum of twelve (12) inches of well compacted gravel. Cement concrete shall be treated with silicone or linseed oil sealer for salt damage prevention.

5. By deleting Section 16, Municipal Department, and substituting in its place following:

Section 16 Municipal Department Municipal Departments of the Town of Chelmsford shall be exempt from the fees associated with this By-law, but shall conform to all other aspects of this by-law.

6. Under Section 1 Permit by adding the following Subsections:

1.9.1 All construction work performed under Article V shall be performed by a contractor licensed by the Highway Superintendent.

1.9.2 Contractors licensed to perform work under Article V shall carry Comprehensive Public Liability with minimum limits as follows:

a) Bodily Injuries - $100,000 per year
$300,000 aggregate

b) Property Damage - $100,000 per occurrence

Contractor shall deliver a current Certificate of Insurance to the Highway Superintendent before performing work

under this Article and shall post a $5,000 performance bond with the Town securing work to be performed within the public right of way. On projects where the Highway Superintendent determines that the cost of construction is $10,000 or greater, the contractor shall post a performance bond payable to the Town securing 100% of the construction cost. The bond shall be released upon approval of the work by the Highway Superintendent.

1.9.3 Violations of the provisions of Article V shall result in the revocation, by the Superintendent, of the contractor's license to perform work in the Town of Chelmsford;

or act in relation thereto

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

ARTICLE 22. To see if the Town will vote to direct the Board of Selectmen to petition the Great and General Court of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to enact Special Legislation establishing a Recreation Commission Self-supporting Service Revolving Fund for the purpose of operating self-supporting recreation services, paying employee salaries, and purchasing equipment, in general conformity with the provisions of Mass General Laws Chapter 44 Section 53D; or act in relation thereto.

RECREATION COMMISSION

ARTICLE 23. To see if the Town will vote to amend the General By-Laws, Article VI, Police Regulations by adding the following Section:

Section 23 Automatic Amusement Devices

1. No person shall keep, or cause to be kept, operate or suffer to be operated, on premises owned or leased by him, or subject to his control, any mechanical or electronic automatic amusement device, whether coin-operated or not, including but not limited to pinball machines, coin-operated juke boxes, pool, billiard, bowling and athletic training devices.

2. Any regulated Automatic Amusement Device, properly licensed pursuant to General Laws Chapter 140, Section 177A by the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Chelmsford On March 17, 1989, shall be allowed to operate subject to said license and any renewal thereof.

3. Any regulated Automatic Amusement Device kept in a private residential dwelling for the personal use of the owner or occupant shall be exempt from the provisions of this by-law.

4. Violation of this by-law shall be punishable by a fine of $200.00 for each offense. Each day that said violation exists shall constitute a separate offense.

or act in relation thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

ARTICLE 24. To see if the Town will vote to amend the General By-Laws, Article IX, School Building and Grounds, by deleting "Section 1, Certain Uses of School Grounds Prohibited" in its entirety and substituting the following:

SECTION 1: Certain Uses of School Grounds Prohibited

The use of school grounds for the following activities is prohibited except where the user receives written authorization from the Superintendent or his designee:

A) Operation of any uninsured or unregistered motorized vehicle, including, but not limited to, automobiles, trucks, motorcycles, mini-bikes, snowmobiles, and all-terrain vehicles.

B) Racing of motor vehicles including, but not limited to automobiles, trucks, motorcycles, mini bikes, snowmobiles and all-terrain vehicles

C) Operation of any motor vehicle, including but not limited to automobiles, trucks, motorcycles, mini-bikes, snowmobiles, and all-terrain vehicles, off the driveways and parking areas

D) Repair and maintenance of any vehicle.

E) Horseback riding.

F) Camping

G) Golfing

H) Powered model airplane or rocket activities

I) Skate Boarding

J) Any non-school related use of school grounds while school is in session

or act in relation thereto.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

ARTICLE 25. To see if the Town will vote to accept the following mentioned streets, as laid out by the Board of Selectmen and shown by their reports duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk:

1. Michael's Drive
2. Sarah Lane
3. Armand Drive
4. Poplar Lane
5. Scotty Hollow Drive
6. Wiggin Street

Providing all the construction of the same meets with the requirements of the Board of Selectmen, and subject to the withholding of any remaining bonds until such requirements have been met and to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to acquire any and all temporary and/or permanent easements, and any property in fee simple, with trees thereon, by purchase, eminent domain, or othersise, for the purpose of securing traffic safety and road improvements, and to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, transfer and appropriate from available funds, transfer and appropriate from the Stabilization Fund, and/or borrow a certain sum of money to defray all necessary costs, fees and expenses in connection with the acquisition of said land and for paying any damages which may be awarded as a result of any such taking; and to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to negotiate and execute all necessary and proper contracts and agreements thereto; or act in relation thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

ARTICLE 26. To see if the Town will vote pursuant to General Law Chapter 82, Section 21, that public convenience and necessity require that a portion of Douglas Road also known as the Douglas Road Extension, as hereinafter described shall be discontinued and all public rights in any and all portions of said Streets, and/or Town Ways relative to said street shall be henceforth discontinued and abandoned; said street is more particulary described as follows:

That portion of Douglas Road as shown on a Plan entitled "Proposed Discontinuance Douglas Road Extension ATM 1989" on file with the Town Clerk

And to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen for consideration to be determined, to convey and transfer, all right, title and interest, if any, held by the Town in the above parcel of land located on the discontinued portion of said way/road, to the owners of property set forth in a Covenant to the Town of Chelmsford Planning Board recorded in the Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds covering said way; or act in relation thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

ARTICLE 27. To see if the Town will vote to amend the General By-laws, Article VI, Police Regulations, by adding the following section:

Section 24 Sale and Possession of Assault Weapons

A. Definitions

1. "Assault Weapons" as used herein shall mean:
(a) All semi-automatic action, centerfire rifles that accept detachable magazines with a capacity of ten (10) rounds or more;
(b) All semi-automatic shotguns with a barrel of less than 19 inches and a folding stock or a magazine capacity of more than six rounds;
(c) All semi-automatic pistols which are modifications of rifles described in (a), that is, being the same make, caliber, and action design, but having a shorter barrel, no rear stock, or being semi-automatic weapons originally described to accept magazines with a capacity of ten (10) or more rounds;
(d) Any firearm which may be readily restored to an operable assault weapon; and
(e) Any part or combination of parts designed or intended to convert a firearm into an assault weapon or any combination of parts from which an assault weapon may be readily assembled if those parts are in the possession or under the control of the same person.

2. "Shotgun" as used herein shall mean a weapon which is designed or redesigned, made or remade to fire a shotgun shell.

3. "Rifle" as used hereunder shall mean a weapon intended to be fired from the shoulder and designed or redesigned, made or remade to fire a fixed cartridge.

4. "Semi-automatic" as used herein shall mean a weapon which fires a single projectile for each single pull of the trigger and which employs a magazine.

B. Scope of By-law

"Assault Weapon" as used in this by-law does not include:

(1) All weapons which do not use fixed ammunition, all weapons which were in production prior to 1898, all normally operated bolt action weapons, all slide action weapons, all single shot weapons, all multiple barrel weapons, all revolving cylinder weapons, all semi-automatic weapons with a fixed magazine capacity of 10 rounds or less, all semi-automatic weapons which use exclusively Mannlicher-style clips, all semi-automatic weapons in production prior to 1954, and all rimfire weapons that employ a tubular magazine;

(2) Any antique or relic firearm, movie prop or other weapon not functionally capable of firing a projectile and not intended for use as a functional weapon and which cannot be readily converted through a combination of available parts into an operable assault weapon;

(3) Any firearm that uses .22 caliber rimfire ammunition;

(4) Any firearm that is declared to be a legitimate sports recreational firearm by the Chief of Police; and

(5) Any assault weapon which has been modified either to render it permanently inoperable or to permanently make it a device no longer defined as an assault weapon.

C. Restriction on the Sale and Possession of Assault Weapons

(1) The possession, sale, purchase, barter, display or transfer of an assault weapon is forbidden within the Town. The police may seize any assault weapon which may be evidence of a violation hereof.

(2) Each violation of this by-law shall constitute a separate offense and shall be punishable by a fine of three hundred dollars ($300.00) for each offense.

(3) The transport of an assault weapon from without the Town of Chelmsford through the Town of Chelmsford to a place without the Town of Chelmsford shall not be deemed a violation hereof provided prior notice is given to the Chief of Police.

(4) The Chief of Police may revoke licenses granted under Chapter 140, Section 122 of the General Laws for violations of this By-law.

D. Transition Period

Any person who on the effective date hereof has within the Town of Chelmsford any assault weapon shall within ten days register that fact with the Chief of Police in such form as the Chief may prescribe and within six (6) months of the effective date shall remove the same from the Town and give notice of such removal to the Chief of Police. The simple act of possession during such six month period shall not be deemed a violation of this by-law.

E. Exemption

Federal, state, and local law enforcement agencies shall be exempt from the provisions of this by-law.

F. Severability

If any section of this by-law shall be held invalid by any court of competent jurisdiction, the remaining sections shall not be affected thereby.

or act in relation thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

ARTICLE 31. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Chelmsford Zoning By-Law by deleting under Article V. DEFINITIONS the paragraph subtitled Lot, area, and substituting in its place the following:

Lot, area. The horizontal area of the lot exclusive of any area in a street or recorded way open to public use. At least eighty (80) percent of the lot area required for zoning compliance shall be contiguous land other than that under any water body, bog, swamp, wet meadow, marsh, or other wetland, as defined in Section 40, Chapter 131, G.L. as amended;

or act in relation thereto.

PLANNING BOARD

ARTICLE 32. To see if the Town will vote to amend the General By-Law, Article XI General Wetland By-Law as follows:

1. Under Section 8 amend the subtitle to read "Section 8 Relationship to Chapter 131 Section 40 and 310CMR and amend the text by adding the following:

   "All reference in this by-law to Chapter 131, Section 40 shall include the provisions of regulations promulgated pursuant to said statute as codified in 310CMR."

2. Under Section 3: Notice of Intent by deleting the last paragraph in its entirety and substituting in its place the following:

   Copies of the Notice of Intent shall be sent by the applicant, at the same time, by certified mail to all parties in interest. Parties in interest shall mean the petitioner, abutters, owners of land directly opposite on any public or private street or way, and abutters to abutters within 300 feet of the property line of the petitioner or the boundary of the wetland area under consideration, whichever is greater all as they appear on the most recent applicable tax list, not withstanding that the land of any such owner is located in another city or town.

or act in relation thereto.

CONSERVATION COMMISSION

ARTICLE 33. To see if the Town will vote to abolish the "Varney Playground Committee" established under Article 56 at the 1941 Annual Town Meeting in accordance with General Law Chapter 45 Section 4 for the purpose of supervising "Varney Playground", and transferring the power of said committee to the Recreation Commission; or act in relation thereto.

RECREATION COMMISSION

ARTICLE 34. To see if the Town will vote to amend the General By-Laws, Article VIII Waste Disposal by deleting Section 1 Dumping, in its entirety and substituting in its place the following:

SECTION 1 Dumping

a) It shall be unlawful for any person to dump any refuse or other solid waste as defined in General Laws Chapter 16 Section 18 on either public or private property other than an area approved and licensed by the Board of Health or the Department of Environmental Quality Engineering. Violators of this by-law shall be punishable by a fine of $300.00 for each offense and shall be required to remove the illegally dumped refuse and dispose of it in accordance with town, state and federal regulations. Any violator shall be responsible for all costs and expenses incurred in the removal and disposal of said waste. Said penalties shall be cumulative with fines and penalties under any federal or state criminal or civil statute.

or act in relation thereto.

TRASH ADVISORY COMMITTEE

ARTICLE 35. To see if the Town will vote to amend General By-law Article IV, Financial Regulations, as follows:

1. By adding a new section as follows:

SECTION 5 Supervision and Control of Purchases

All purchases of supplies, material or equipment by the Town, except those purchases made by the School Department, shall be made under the control and supervision of the Board of Selectmen and shall be made only upon and in accordance with a requisition duly signed by the department head or majority of any Commission, Committee or Board and approved by the Board of Selectmen or its designee.

2. Under Section 2, Contracts Exceeding $4,000.00 by deleting paragraph (f) and substituting the following:

(f) No contract having a value of four thousand and no/100 dollars ($4,000.00) shall be enforceable against the Town unless the provisions of Section 5 of this Article have been complied with. Any contract to be enforceable against the Town shall also be in writing and signed by a majority of the Board, Commission, Committee or Department head controlling the appropriation against which said obligation is incurred. Any Board, Commission or Committee may by majority vote delegate the execution of said contract to their designee.

or act in relation thereto

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

ARTICLE 36. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the care, custody, management, and control of the Center School from the School Committee to the Board of Selectmen for another municipal purpose in accordance with General Law Chapter 40, Section 15A. Said school being shown on a plan entitled "Compiled Plan of Land Prepared for the Town of Chelmsford; Scale 1" = 100', October 1981, Fleming, Bienvenu, Associates, Inc."; or act in relation thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN
SCHOOL COMMITTEE

ARTICLE 37. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Town's General By-Laws, Article II Town Meeting, Section 3 Town Meeting Rules of Order, by adding the following:

The presentation of an article is limited to no more than fifteen minutes. The Town Meeting body may extend the presentation in ten minute intervals. A majority vote is required for each request.

The discussion of an article is limited to be no more than fifteen minutes in length. The Town meeting body may extend the discussion in ten minute intervals. A majority vote is required for each request.

or act in relation thereto.

PETITION

ARTICLE 38. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Town's General By-Laws, Article II Town Meeting, Section 3 Town Meeting Rules of Order, by adding the following:

All the numbers of the various articles after Article 2A of the Annual Town Meeting Warrant shall be placed in a container and the Town Moderator shall draw a number and as each number is drawn, that article shall be presented to the Town Meeting for action, and further provided, however, that certain articles which are insequence and related to each other whereby the passage of the first article is dependent upon action of the next article may be taken as one drawing for action. For example, if Article 16 is concerned with whether a school is to be built and Article 17 is to appropriate money for architectural fees, then the drawing of Article 17 will permit action to be taken first by the Town Meeting on Article 16. And further provided that when the budget article is drawn the order of consideration of said article shall be as drawn from a second container which shall contain department heading.

or act in relation thereto.

PETITION

ARTICLE 39. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Board of Accessors to issue a certain amount of money from Free Cash in the Treasury for the reduction of the tax rate; or act in relation thereto.

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this 20th day of March , A.D. 1989.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN OF TOWN OF CHELMSFORD

Dennis J. Ready, Chairman

Henrick R. Johnson, Jr V.Chrman

Bonita A. Towle, Clerk

Bradford O. Emerson

Roger A. Blomgren

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

MIDDLESEX, SS

March 21, 1989

Pursuant to the within warrant, I have notified and warned the inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford by posting up attested copies of same at the following places, to wit:
Town Office Building Gym, Harrington School Gymnasium, Harrington School Gymnasium, Westland School Cafeteria, Byam School Cafetorium, Westland School Cafeteria, McCarthy Middle School Small Gymanisum, McCarthy Middle School Small Gymanisum, and Town Office Building Gym, and Town Office Building Lobby.

Signed:

William E. Spence,
Constable

A True Copy Attest,

William E. Spence, Constable

WARRANT FOR SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

APRIL 24, 1989

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

IDDLESEX

o the Constable, or any other suitable person of the Town of helmsford:

REETING:

n the name of the Commonwealth, aforesaid, you are hereby requested o notify and warn the legal voters of said Chelmsford to meet in the cCarthy Middle School Gymnasium on Monday, the twenty-fourth day of pril, 1989 at 8:00 o'clock P.M.; then and there to act upon the ollowing Articles, Viz:

RTICLE 1.

To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate (1) the sum of $400,000 from Surplus Revenue and (2) the sum of $100,000 from line item #146 Unemployment Benefits to Insurance (Life and Medical) line item #144; or act in relation thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

RTICLE 2.

To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate the sum of $1,581 from the Insurance Sinking Trust Fund to line item #19 Liability Insurance in order to reimburse the Town of Chelmsford's insurance carrier for payments made within the deductible provision of said policy; or act in relation thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

RTICLE 3.

To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate (1) the sum of $17,768 from the unexpended proceeds of the amount authorized by Article 11 of the Special Town Meeting of May 9, 1988 and (2) the sum of $2,232 from the unexpended proceeds of the amount authorized by Article 13 of the 1986 Annual Town Meeting, for the following purpose: Police Department, Hot Top Existing Parking Lot and Driveways; or act in relation thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

ARTICLE 4.

To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate the sum of $12,500 from Article 11 of the Special Town Meeting of September 25, 1986 to line item #77 Police Department Expenses; or act in relation thereto. (Emergency 911)

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

ARTICLE 5.

To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate the sum of $209,968 from available funds (Chapter 90 Highway Funds Due From State) for the purpose of Chapter 90 highway construction; or act in relation thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

ARTICLE 6.

To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate the sum of $8,042 from line item #146 Unemployment Benefits to Veterans Benefits Department Salaries line item #126; or act in relation thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

ARTICLE 7.

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the transfer of unexpended funds from Article 17 of the 1987 Annual Town Meeting in the amount of $67,000.00, to an account to fund the following capital projects:

1.	Van for the Town Engineer Dept.	$ 15,000.00
2.	Masks for firefighters to conform with new regulations	$ 12,000.00
3.	Water back-flow installation at three school buildings	$ 40,000.00

or act in relation thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

ARTICLE 8.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, transfer from available funds, borrow, or appropriate and transfer from the Stabilization Fund, a certain sum of money for the purpose of designing and constructing sewers, pump stations, and force mains to complete the Town's Sewering Project to serve the Phase II and Phase III areas as defined in the Town's Facilities Plan for Wastewater Management, as amended, dated August 1986, and additional targeted "needs areas"; to pay for related legal,

administrative and other pertinent expenses; to authorize the Sewer Commission with the consent of the Board of Selectmen or Town Meeting to acquire by purchase, eminent domain or otherwise all easements and rights concerning land necessary in conjunction with the project; to determine how such appropriation shall be raised, whether by transfer of available funds, by taxation, by borrowing or otherwise, and if by borrowing, the Town Treasurer with approval of the Board of Selectmen be authorized to borrow under M.G.L. Chapter 44 as amended and supplemented, and to use and sell general obligation bonds or notes of the Town therefore;that the Sewer Commission be authorized to apply for, accept and expend any state and federal grants and local monies that are made available for the project; that betterments shall be assessed based on sewer construction in accordance with the applicable provisions of the General Laws of the Commonwealth; or act in relation thereto.

SEWER COMMISSION

ARTICLE 9.

To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate the sum of $800 from line item #146 Unemployment Benefits to Recreation Salaries line item #134, for the purpose of paying certain Recreation Commission salaries; or act in relation thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

ARTICLE 10.

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for consideration to be determined, to convey and transfer all right, title and interest, if any held by the Town, in certain parcels of land on Dover Street, shown as Lots 25 and 28 on Assessor's Map 45; or act in relation thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

ARTICLE 11.

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for consideration to be determined, to convey and transfer all right, title and interest, if any held by the Town, in a certain parcel of land on Mallory and Dover Streets, shown as Lot 30 on Assessor's Map 45; or act in relation thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

ARTICLE 12.

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for consideration to be determined, to convey and transfer all right, title and interest, if any held by the Town, in a certain parcel of land on Mallory and Dover Streets, shown as Lot 23 on Assessor's Map 45; or act in relation thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

RTICLE 13.

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for consideration to be determined, to convey and transfer all right, title and interest, if any held by the Town, in certain parcels of land on Eighth Avenue, shown as Lots 68 and 69 on Assessor's Map 67; or act in relation thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

RTICLE 14.

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for consideration to be determined, to convey and transfer all right, title and interest, if any held by the Town, in certain parcels of land on Seventh Avenue, shown as Lots 57 and 58 on Assessor's Map 67; or act in relation thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

RTICLE 15.

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for consideration to be determined, to convey and transfer all right, title and interest, if any held by the Town, in the following parcels of land located in the Crystal Lake Area of the Town of Chelmsford, shown as the following lots:

Map 62, Lot 14 containing approximately 6400 square feet

Map 62, Lot 16 containing approximately 4020 square feet

or act in relation thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

ARTICLE 16.

To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate the sum of $3800 from line item #146 Unemployment Benefits to Selectmen Expenses line item 45 for the purpose of providing Hepatitis B shots for firefighters, police officers and auxiliary police officers; or act in relation thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

ARTICLE 17.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, transfer and appropriate from available funds, transfer and appropriate from the Stabilization Fund and/or borrow a certain sum of money to engage a private engineering firm to conduct a study relative to the depression of utility lines in Chelmsford Center; or act in relation thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this 7th day of April , A.D. 1989.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN OF TOWN OF CHELMSFORD

Henrick R. Johnson, Jr Chairman

Bonita A. Towle, Vice Chairman

Dennis J. Ready, Clerk

Bradford O. Emerson

Roger A. Blomgren

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

MIDDLESEX, SS

April 10, 1989

Pursuant to the within warrant, I have notified and warned the Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford by posting up attested copies of same at the following places, to wit:
Town Office Building Gym, Harrington School Gymnasium, Harrington School Gymnasium, Westland School Cafeteria, Byam School Cafetorium, Westland School Cafeteria, McCarthy Middle School Small Gymanisum, McCarthy Middle School Small Gymanisum, and Town Office Building Gym, and Town Office Building Lobby.

Signed:

William E. Spence,
Constable

A True Copy Attest,

William E. Spence, Constable

ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION
APRIL 4, 1989

*indicates Candidate for re-election

	Pct 1	Pct 2	Pct 3	Pct 4	Pct 5	Pct 6	Pct 7	Pct 8	Pct 9	TOTAL
SELECTMAN (2) 3 yrs										
Dennis J. Ready*	329	230	288	280	347	352	369	265	287	2747
Henrick R. Johnson Jr*	346	282	311	311	347	390	384	319	287	2977
All Others	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	0	5
Blanks	393	368	415	401	434	450	452	444	390	3747
TOTAL	1068	880	1014	992	1128	1192	1206	1032	964	9476
ASSESSOR 3 yrs										
Ruth K. Delaney*	396	328	370	395	409	439	435	358	337	3467
Blanks	138	112	137	101	155	157	168	158	145	1271
TOTAL	534	440	507	496	564	596	603	516	482	4738
CEMETERY COMMISSIONER 3 yrs										
Gerald L. Hardy*	375	320	346	360	389	418	419	354	325	3306
Blanks	159	120	161	136	175	178	184	162	157	1432
TOTAL	534	440	507	496	564	596	603	516	482	4738
BOARD OF HEALTH 3 yrs										
Paul J. Canniff*	375	312	364	345	394	412	416	344	331	3293
Blanks	159	128	143	151	170	184	187	172	151	1445
TOTAL	534	440	507	496	564	596	603	516	482	4738
PARK COMMISSIONER 3 yrs										
Eileen M. Duffy*	369	316	359	353	376	418	407	352	336	3286
Blanks	165	124	148	143	188	178	196	164	146	1452
TOTAL	534	440	507	496	564	596	603	516	482	4738
SEWER COMMISSIONER 3 yrs										
John P. Emerson Jr*	373	278	329	333	363	401	382	319	305	3083
All Others	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Blanks	161	162	178	163	201	195	221	196	177	1654
TOTAL	534	440	507	496	564	596	603	516	482	4738
SEWER COMMISSIONER unexp 1 yr										
Robert P. Joyce	369	288	336	340	361	390	395	334	298	3111
Blanks	165	152	171	156	203	206	208	182	184	1627
TOTAL	534	440	507	496	564	596	603	516	482	4738

*indicates Candidate for re-election

	Pct 1	Pct 2	Pct 3	Pct 4	Pct 5	Pct 6	Pct 7	Pct 8	Pct 9	TOTAL
LIBRARY TRUSTEE (2) 3 yrs										
Sarah L. Warner	326	170	231	274	293	323	317	246	293	2473
Janet B. Hendl*	244	167	273	235	270	312	301	240	220	2262
Lynda Reid Warren	212	300	264	207	258	220	279	264	180	2184
Blanks	286	243	246	276	307	337	309	282	271	2557
TOTAL	1068	880	1014	992	1128	1192	1206	1032	964	9476
CONSTABLE 3 yrs										
William E. Spence*	372	316	342	376	365	416	416	348	313	3264
Blanks	162	124	165	120	199	180	187	168	169	1474
TOTAL	534	440	507	496	564	596	603	516	482	4738
SCHOOL COMMITTEE (2) 3 yrs										
Carl A. Olsson*	340	286	324	336	358	418	388	317	291	3058
Wendy C. Marcks	339	248	319	291	353	353	364	292	305	2864
Blanks	389	346	371	365	417	421	454	423	368	3554
TOTAL	1068	880	1014	992	1128	1192	1206	1032	964	9476
PLANNING BOARD (2) 3 yrs										
Ann H. McCarthy*	287	226	307	298	289	366	346	297	231	2647
Samuel J. Brink	269	207	209	200	246	224	247	206	312	2120
John F. McCarthy*	226	202	222	245	302	294	288	238	149	2166
Blanks	286	245	276	249	291	308	325	291	272	2543
TOTAL	1068	880	1014	992	1128	1192	1206	1032	964	9476
QUESTION 1 (Charter)										
Yes	298	144	298	227*	262	322*	335	253	269*	2408 *
No	227	294	207	265*	299	267	265	257	211*	2292 *
Blanks	9	2	2	6*	3	7*	3	6	3*	41 *
TOTAL	534	440	507	498*	564	596	603	516	483*	4741 *
QUESTION 2 (Sewer)										
Yes	346	229	306	271	319	363	378	312	340	2864
No	175	203	187	208	233	215	217	187	131	1756
Blanks	13	8	14	17	12	18	8	17	11	118
TOTAL	534	440	507	496	564	596	603	516	482	4738

*results of a recount held on April 26,1989 for all pcts except Pct 7 request by petition

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING
APRIL 24, 1989

The Annual Town Meeting was called to order at the McCarthy Middle School Gymnasium, at 7:40 PM by the Moderator Dennis McHugh who recognized the presence of a quorum. There were 528 voters present.

The Moderator explained the town meeting rules and regulations. He also mentioned that this will probably be the last annual open town meeting. Pending the recount of the charter question which passed at the annual town election of April 4th, the Town voted to accept a charter and will have representative town meeting starting next year. The recount is schedule for Wednesday April 26th.

The Moderator announced that Thursday April 27th is Student Government Day at Chelmsford High School. The students who are participating in the event were present in the hall and they are as follows:

SELECTMEN
Jennifer Howard
David Beaton
David Rauktys
Paul Ricciardi

PLANNING BOARD
Richard F. Burtt
Edward Morris
Judianne Rigazio

BOARD OF ASSESSORS
John Duggan
Keith Cournoyer
Jeffrey Dean

BOARD OF HEALTH
Teresa Chehna
Brian Grzymski
Manjula Sastry

STATE SENATOR
Brian Ritchie

LIBRARY TRUSTEE
Jennifer Bush
Patti Lee

TREASURER AND TAX COLLECTOR
Jennifer Roche

TOWN CLERK
Karen Boss

HOUSING AUTHORITY
Jamie Athanasoulas
Lisa Provencher

TOWN ACCOUNTANT
Matthew Cody

POLICE CHIEF
Gregg Silver

ASSISTANT POLICE CHIEF
Jeff Hoyt

FIRE CHIEF
Stacy Tyrrell

ASSISTANT FIRE CHIEF
Rob Gramer

SUPT. OF STREETS
Mike Scollo

CEMETERY SUPT.
Deborah Coffey

BUILDING INSPECTOR
Steven Kelts

SUPT OF SCHOOLS
John Edwards

SCHOOL COMMITTEE
Kim Marsella
Stacey Kelley
Kelsa Main
Carolyn McCarthy

VETERAN'S AGENT
Lauren Thomas

TOWN ENGINEER
Eric Pearson

SEWER COMMISSION
Chris Backman
Chris Davis
Ben Winther

EX. SEC. TO SELECTMAN
Amy Hiltz

STATE REPRESENTATIVE
Bryan White
Melissa Johnson

FINANCE COMMITTEE
Neil Costa
Nicole Demoulpied
Mike Flanagan

The Moderator asked for a round of applause and thanked the students for their participation.

Selectman Johnson moved that the reading of the Constable's return of service and the posting of the warrant be waived. It was so voted, unanimously. Selectman Johnson then moved that the reading of the entire warrant be waived. It was so voted, unanimously.

The Moderator asked permission from the Town Meeting Body to allow Bernard Lynch, Thomas Carroll, and William Mullen, to address the voters during the meeting. These people are Town Officials and Department Heads who are non residents of the Town, who may be called upon to explain the articles. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 1 Selectman Henrick J. Johnson, Jr moved that the Town hear reports of the Town Officers and Committees.

Selectman Johnson moved to nominated Norbert McHale to the Varney Playground Commission. Selectman Ready seconded. The Moderator asked if there were any other nominations, hearing none, he closed the nominations. He then asked for a voice vote, motion carried. This is one of the issues that could be decided by another article within the Town Meeting. When that time comes a decision will be made.

The Moderator announced a Special Town Meeting has been scheduled for 8:00 PM. Selectmen Johnson moved to adjourn the Annual Town Meeting, and it will reconvene immediately following the Special Meeting. Motion carried, unanimously. The meeting adjourned at 8:00 PM.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING
APRIL 24, 1989

The Special Town Meeting was called to order at the McCarthy Middle School Gymmnasium, at 8:00 PM by the Moderator Dennis McHugh who recognized the presence of a quorum. There were 529 voters present.

Selectman Johnson moved that the reading of the Constable's return of service and the posting of the warrant be waived. It was so voted, unanimously. Selectman Johnson then moved that the reading of the entire warrant be waived. It was so voted, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 1 Selectman Henrick R. Johnson Jr. moved that the Town vote to transfer and appropriate (1) the sum of $400,000 from Surplus Revenue and (2) the sum of $100,000 from line item #146 Unemployment Benefits to Insurance (Life and Medical) Line Item #144.

Bernard Lynch Executive Secretary to the Board of Selectmen explained the article. This article will transfer money from available funds to replenish the health insurance trust fund for the employees of the town. Due to changes in the law, the town is running a shortfall in the trust fund. The Finance Committee recommended the article. Motion carried unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 2 Selectman Henrick R. Johnson Jr. moved that the Town vote to transfer and approprite the sum of $1581 from the Insurance Sinking Trust Fund to line item #19 Liability Insurance in order to reimburse the Town of Chelmsford's insurance carrier for payments made within the deductible provisions of said policy.

Bernanrd Lynch explained that the insurance company paid the deductible for claims and now the Town must reimburse the insurance company. The Finance Committee supported the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 3 Selectman Henrick R. Johnson Jr. moved that the Town vote to transfer and appropriate (1) the sum of $17,768 from the unexpended proceeds of the amount authorized by Article 11 of the Special Town Meeting of May 9, 1988 and (2) the sum of $2,232 from the unexpended proceeds of the amount authorized by Article 13 of the 1986 Annual Town Meeting, for the following purpose: Police Department, Hot Top Existing Parking Lot and Driveways.

Bernard Lynch explained that this would be the money left from capital improvement funds. If projects come in under bid, then the money can be transfered to another project by Town Meeting vote. The Police Department needed smoke detectors installed and the expense was less than anticipated, therefore the money left from this project if transfered will be used to apply to the bid of hot topping the areas mentioned at the Police Station which came in with a higher bid price than anticipated. The Finance Committee recommended the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 4 Selectman Henrick R. Johnson Jr moved that the town vote to transfer and appropriate the sum of $12,500 from Article 14 of the Special Town Meeting of September 25, 1986 to line item #77 Police Department Expenses (Emergency 911).

The Finance Committee recommended the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 5 Selectman Henrick R. Johnson Jr moved that the town vote to transfer and appropriate the sum of $209,968 from available funds (Chapter 90 Highway Funds Due from State) for the purpose of Chapter 90 Highway construction.

Bernard Lynch explained the article. A change in the law requires that Town now vote the actual monies needed for the Chapter 90 fund. The Finance Committee recommended the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 6 Selectman Henrick R. Johnson Jr moved that the town vote to transfer and appropriate the sum of $8,042 from line item #146 Unemployment Benefits to veterans Benefits Department Salaries line item #126.

Bernard Lynch explained that this was the amount needed for sick leave by back for an employee who has retired. The Finance Committee recommended the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 7 Selectman Henrick R. Johnson Jr and Chairman of the Capital Planning Committee James Doukszewicz moved that the town vote to authorize the transfer of unexpended funds from Article 17 of the 1987 Annual Town Meeting in the amount of $67,000.00 to an account to fund the following capital projects:

1.	Van for the Town Engineer Dept	$15,000.00
2.	Masks for firefighters to conform with new regulations	$12,000.00
3.	Water back-flow installation at three school buildings	$40,000.00

James Doukszewicz explained that this is money left over from other capital planning projects. The Engineer Department presently have a van which is unusable. Due to the different projects around the town a van is needed to get from site to site. The new masks for the firefighters are to conform with the new law concerning the health factor of smoke inhalation. The back-flow installation is to prevent the tap water not being used from flowing back into the town wells and system. This would prevent a health hazard, because bacteria and infection could get into the system. If voted tonight the bids could go out immediately and the projects could be started before the fiscal year ends. The Finance Committee recommended the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 8 Chairman of the Sewer Commission John Emerson moved that the Town vote to appropriate $39,000,000 as the local share of the cost for designing and constructing sewers, pump stations and force mains to complete the Town's Sewering Project to serve the Phase II and Phase III areas as defined in the Town's Facilities Plan for Wastewater Management, as amended, dated August 1986, and additional targeted "needs areas", including related legal, administrative and other pertinent expenses and the acquisition by purchase, eminent domain or otherwise of all necessary easements and rights in land; that to meet this appropriation, the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, is authorized to borrow $39,000,000 under G.L. c.44, s 8(15); that the Sewer Commission is authorized to contract for and expend any federal, state, or other aid available for the project; that betterments shall be assessed based on sewer construction in accordance with the applicable provisions of the General Laws; and that the Sewer Commission is authorized to take any other action necessary to carry out this project.

John Emerson explained that this is the funding needed to continue the present sewering project. It will show to the State the Town's obligation to go forward and finish the project. The Finance Committee recommended the article. The Board of Selectmen also recommended the article. The motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 9 Selectman Henrick R. Johnson Jr moved that the town vote to transfer and appropriate the sum of $800 from line item #146 Unemployment Benefits to Recreation Salaries line item #134, for the purpose of paying certain Recreation Commission salaries.

Bernard Lynch explained that this money is to cover unforseen expenses that occured last year at the Varney Playground area. There was an ongoing situation that required additional personnel to patrol the area, and this is a reimbursement to that line item to cover that expense. The Finance Committee recommended the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 10 Selectman Henrick R. Johnson Jr moved that the town vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for consideration to be determined, to convey and transfer all right, title and interest, if any held by the Town, in certain parcels of land on Dover Street, shown as Lots 25 and 28 on Assessor's Map 45.

Gary Bevis, a resident who abutts this property, explained that he wants to purchase the land for his own use. The Finance Committee recommended the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 11 Selectman Henrick R. Johnson Jr moved that the town vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for consideration to be determined, to convey and transfer all right, title and interest, if any held by the town, in a certain parcel of land on Mallory and Dover Streets, shown as Lot 30 on Assessor's Map 45.

Thomas Bastien explained that because of a steep slop on his property, he wanted to purchase the land to improve his property. The Finance Committee recommended the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 12 Selectman Henrick R. Johnson Jr moved that the town moved to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for consideration to be determined, to convey and transfer all right, title and interests if any held by the Town, in a certain parcel of land on Mallory and Dover Streets, shown as Lot 23 on Assessor's Map 45.

Gary Bevis expressed his interest in purchasing this property, it abutts his property. The Finance Committee recommended the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 13 Selectman Henrick R. Johnson Jr moved that the town vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for consideration to be determined, to convey and transfer all right, title and interest, if any held by the Town in certain parcels of land on Eighth Avenue, shown as Lots 68 and 69 on Assessor's Map 67.

Gary Bevis explained that he no longer owns the property that this land abutts, and wanted to withdraw his interest in this lot or the one in article 14. The Finance Committee did not recommend the article. The Moderator asked for a voice vote. Motion defeated.

UNDER ARTICLE 14 The Moderator explained that since Gary Bevis expressed in the previous article that he wished to withdrawl his interest in this article, the Moderator accepted this as a formal withdrawal, and moved on to the next article.

UNDER ARTICLE 15 Selectman Henrick R. Johnson Jr moved that the town vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for consideration to be determined, to convey and transfer all right, title and interest, if any held by the Town in the following parcels of land located in the Crystal lake Area of the town of Chelmsford, shown as the following lots:

Map 62, Lot 14 containing approximately 6400 square feet
Map 62, Lot 16 containing approximately 4020 square feet

Sarah Quinn who abutts this property mentioned wanted the property in order to extend her present garden area. The Finance Committee recommended the article. Motion carried, uanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 16 Selectman Henrick R. Johnson Jr moved that the town vote to transfer and appropriate the sum of $3800 from line item #146 Unemployment Benefits to Selectmen Expenses line item 45 for the purpose of providing hepatitis B shots for firefighters, police officer and auxiliary police officers.

Bernard Lynch explained that almost all the Town's Public safety officers received these shots last year. Once this money is transfered then those who needed the shots would get them. The total cost will be approximately $16000.00. The Finance Committee recommended the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 17 Selectman Henrick R. Johnson Jr moved that the town vote to transfer and appropriate from the Stabilization Fund the sum of $7500 to engage a private engineering firm to conduct a study relative to the depression of utility lines in Chelmsford Center.

Selectman Ready explained that this would be a study for putting the utilites underground around the center of town. The Finance Committee recommended the article. A number of residents spoke against the article. A discussion followed. The Moderator asked for a voice vote. Motion defeated. There was a request for a hand count, the following tellers came forward:

Margaret Johnson	Cheryl Warshafsky	Jocelyn Anthony
Norman LeBrecque	Gail Klemmer	Edward Marshall
Ruth Delaney	Jean Horgan	George Simonian
	John Fudge	

The Modertor attempted a show of hands before sending the tellers into the audience. He declared the motion defeated.

William Dalton wanted a point of information answered concerning article 1. The Moderator explained that before any information could be given the Town Meeting body would have to vote to reconsider article 1. William Dalton moved to reconsider article 1. He questioned where did the surplus revenue of $400,000 come from? The Finance Committee explained that they were against the motion to reconsider the article that this money was free cash. Bernard Lynch explained that this was funds left over from fiscal year 1988. Money that the Town didn't expend through appropriations. Example, some expenses aren't what they were predicted to be, or additional receipts were received by the Town that weren't projected. The money is used for emergency purposes. Last year the money was used to fund the county retirement. A discussion followed. William Dalton said if the money was spent tonight then there would be in fact no more free cash available to fund any additional requests. Bernard Lynch said that the Town would have to turn to other ways via overrides or raising and appropriating any additional monies needed for the 1989 fiscal expenditures. William Dalton wanted to table article 1 for a later date. The Modertor explained that before that motion could be accepted the body would have to vote on whether or not to first reconsider the article. The Moderator asked for a voice vote on the motion to reconsider article 1. motion defeated. The chair was questioned on the voice vote. The Moderator asked for a show of hands, he then asked the tellers to come forward and take a hand count. The result Yes 171 No 233 the motion was defeated.

The Moderator declared the Special Town Meeting adjourned at 9:00 PM.

Dennis McHugh, Moderator

Mary E. St.Hiliare Town Clerk

He then reconvened the Adjourned Annual Town Meeting at 9:01 PM

Selectman Johnson explained that due to the recount of the Charter being scheduled for Wednesday that a number of articles would be tabled pending the out come of the recount. Articles 5,7,33,35,37 & 38. Articles 9 & 29 were already passed in the Special so there would be no need to act on them. Article 27, the assualt weapon by-law, is going to be withdrawn by the Board of Selectmen. Due to Federal and State legislation pending the Board felt that the article would be redundent. The Board did not feel comfortable with the article, nor did the Chief of the Police. Selectman Johnson assured the Town Meeting body that this article would not be brought up for reconsideration during this annual Town Meeting.

Selectman Johnson asked to officially withdraw article 27. The Finance Committee recommended the article to be withdrawn. A discussion took place concerning the motion to withdraw. Joseph Paolilli wanted to have the article heard as advertised. He moved to take the article out of order. The Moderator explained that there was a motion already before the Body to withdraw this article. The Board of Selectmen agreed to withdraw their motion to withdraw the article, therefore this would allow any discussion the article to take place. Matthew Whiting spoke in favor of taking the article out of order. The Moderator asked for a voice vote on the motion to take the article out of order. This left the chair in doubt, he then asked for a show of hands, motion carried.

UNDER ARTICLE 27 The Moderator read the article. The Finance Committee did not have any knowledge or opinion on the article. Selectmen Johnson explained that especially since the Chief of Police was against this article the Board of Selectmen were all in favor of withdrawing the article. Selectman Johnson asked the Chief of Police Raymond McKeon to come forward and express his concerns. He said that the by-law was not his intent nor the Board of Selectmen's to hurt the sportsmen. The by-law does differentiate between military weapons and hunting weapons. Until better wording is presented he will be against any assualt weapon by-law. Carleton McCauley spoke about his concerns of the rights of the citizens being taken away. Selectmen Johnson moved the question to stop debate. The Moderator asked for a show of hands. It left the chair in doubt, he asked for a voice vote, motion carried, unanimously. He then asked for a voice vote on the main motion. Motion defeated. **(see warrant for wording)** Raymond Jones wanted to reconsider the article in order to be guaranteed no further attempts to change the vote. The Moderator explained that this procedure has changed. In the past if an article once voted was brought up again for reconsideration and the motion for reconsideration was defeated then the article couldn't be brought up again anytime during the night of the meeting. However, the by-law has changed and an article can be brought back for reconsideration at any time during the night it was voted. This avoids special interest groups leaving the meeting once their article has been passed. Raymond Jones withdrew his motion to reconsider the article.

UNDER ARTICLE 2 Elizabeth Delaney Chairman of the Personnel Board told the Body that the Board consists of two other members Joan Gauthier,Hal Matzkin and herself and that the Board makes the following recommendations. She proceeded to go through each of the twelve items appearing in the article and explained the purpose of the amendments. The Finance Committee supported the article in its entirety. Selectmen Johnson moved to amend the article by deleting item 2 in its entirety. The Board felt that under the new charter this power of appointment will now be given to the Town Manager and not the Moderator as stated in the article. The Board feels that the Town Manager should have this power. Under item 3 the Board wanted to delete this section also in its entirety. The Board was against implementing five weeks vacation. It would apply to a large number of employees and would cause budgetary constrants. It would be for the best interest of the entire town. The Finance Committee does not support the motion to amend. These employees effective would be within the management positons and there would be no cost factor involved. Elizabeth Delaney explained that there would be ten employees qualified for this fifth week as of July 1st. Presently there are an estimated ninety employees under the board's jurisdication. Fifty-two full time employees and nine regular part-time employees, and the rest are part-time hourly. Only twenty-four of these employees, which includes the ten employees eligible for the fifth week, are receiving four weeks vacation after ten years of service. She listed yearly the future employees who would be eligible beginning in 1990 thru 1997. It resulted in ten more employees. A salary survey done revealed that other towns offer this to their employees. Plus two unions within the town already have this benefit and the supervisors under the Personnel Board are supervising these union employees. Elias Safdie supported the request for the fifth week. William Cady questioned if item 5 the personal leave was a new section? It was explained that all full time employees have had three days of personal leave since 1978--this amendment would apply to the regular part-time employees with twenty hours or more, which would be nine employees. More discussion took place concerning adding the additional members to the Board. Elizabeth Delaney explained that the Board wrote their article in December regardless of charter passing or not. The Board felt that their request was justified. There is a workload because of salary surveys and evaluations. The Board hopes to be able to add at least one member who is familiar in the area of compensation. Selectman Ready questioned again the appointment factor. He felt that the Selectmen should make the appointment because there will not be a Town Manager until some time in the fall. As far as the Personnel Board is concerned, it didn't matter who did the appointment or when it is done. The intentions is to add two more members. Selectman Johnson said that the Board would withdraw the amendment due to the Personnel Board's statement of willing to wait. The Moderator stated that if the Charter becomes effective on Wednesday then no appointment will be made until the Town Manager is appointed. The Moderator asked for a voice vote on the motion to withdraw. Motion carried. The Moderator then asked for a voice vote on the Selectmen's motion to delete the request of five weeks vacation. Motion defeated. Barry Bell questioned adding the Ass't Dog positon. Bernard Lynch explained the money brought in from revenues will pay for the position. More discussion followed. A question was raised about the cost of living increase, number of steps in between the salary range and the total percentage given. There is a 3% cost of living increase recommended. There are eleven steps in the salary range with a 2 1/2% merit increase between each one, for a total of 5 1/2 %. The Moderator asked for further discussion hearing none he asked for a voice vote on the article. Motion carried. Article reads as follows:

Chairman of the Personnel Board, Elizabeth Delaney moved that the Town vote to amend the Personnel Wage and Salary By-Law to be effective July 1, 1989 as follows:

1. Under Section 6 subtitled "Classification of Town Employees", amend Subsection (E)- "Wage and Salary Schedule" by deleting the existing schedule and substituting the following:

E. WAGE AND SALARY SCHEDULE
JULY 1, 1989-JUNE 30, 1990

GRADE LEVEL	SALARY RANGE
1	$ 8,312-$10,349
1A	13,501- 16,809
1B	15,260- 18,999
1C	17,022- 21,192
1D	20,543- 25,576
2	25,827- 32,155
3	34,632- 43,116
4	39,916- 49,695
5	45,201- 56,275

2. Under Section 3 subtitled "Personnel Board" by deleting paragraphs 1 and 2 and substituting the following:

"The plan shall be administered by a personnel board, consisting of five members, four of whom shall be known as public members and shall be appointed by the Town Moderator for two years; two in odd number years and the other two in even number years. Each term shall expire at the end of the appropriate fiscal year. The Town Moderator shall fill the unexpired term of any public member who resigns his appointment.

The fifth member, to be known as the personnel member, shall be elected by town employees who are subject to this by-law and whose name appears on the town payroll list for the Wednesday prior to the election or who otherwise is identified as an eligible voter. Each voter must be 18 years of age or over on the day of the election. The term of office shall be for two years and shall expire on July 1 of each odd numbered year. The election of the personnel member shall be secret and shall be supervised by a board of three Election officers appointed by the Town Moderator. The election shall be held in June to be effective in July. Special elections shall be held to fill the unexpired term of

the personnel member who resigned before the term has expired. All elections shall be held between the hours of 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. on a weekday selected by the above mentioned board of three election officers. Each permanent full time employee or part-time regular employee with a work schedule over twenty (20) or more hours per week will be granted one vote. All other eligible voters will be granted 1/2 vote each."

3. Under Section 14 subtitled "Vacation" by deleting Subsection (B) paragraph (IV) and adding the following:

   IV. Employees who have been continuously employed for less than twenty years but more than ten years shall be granted four weeks vacation with pay.

   V. Employees who have been continuously employed for twenty years or more shall be granted five weeks vacation with pay.

4. Under Section 17 subtitled "Leaves of Absence" by deleting Subsections (A), (B), (C) and substituting the following:

   A. Without Pay: Leaves of absence may be granted by the appropriate Department Head but shall be without compensation.

   B. With Pay: A maximum of 10 days per year will be provided for persons called into temporary active duty of any unit of U.S. reserves or the State National Gaurd. Employees will be paid the difference between their regular pay and the pay which they receive from the state or federal government.

5. By adding a new section subtitled <u>Personal Leave</u> as follows:

   Section 18 <u>PERSONAL LEAVE</u>

   A. All full time employees are limited to three days leave with pay for personal reasons.

   B. Personal leave shall be granted to part-time regular employees with a work schedule over twenty (20) or more hours a week on a pro-rated basis.

C. Personal reasons may include business, legal, religious or other matters not covered elsewhere by the leave provisions of these by-laws. Personal leave will be granted for the remedy of problems which cannot be conveniently resolved at times other than during the customary work day. Specific personal reasons need not be given to supervisors but, except in cases of emergency when oral requests may be granted, requests for personal leave should be given in writing to supervisors at least 48 hours prior to the time the leave is to begin. Unused personal days will be added to sick days for accrual purposes.

6. Under Section 19 subtitled "Hours of Work" by deleting under Subsection (A) the following:

V. Youth Center 37 1/2 hours per week.

7. Under Section 4 subtitled "Scope of Plan and Authority of the Personnel Board" by adding the following subsection D:

D. The words "permanent full time employee(s)" as appearing in these by-laws shall have the same meaning as "full time employee(s)."

8. Under Section 24 subtitled "Job Titles and Standard Rates of Wage and Salaries of the Personnel Wage and Salary By-Law" by deleting the following positions:

Administrative and Clerical
15. Human Resources Director

Other Positions
7. Assistant Dog Officer
10. Clock Winder

9. Under Section 24 Subtitled "Job Titles and Standard Rates of Wages and Salaries of the Personnel Wage and Salary By-Law" by renumbering the following positions:

Administrative and Clerical
15. Town Clerk
16. Town Treasurer/Collector
17. Assessor
18. Assessor, Part-Time

Other Positions

6. Van Driver
7. Sealer of Weights and Measures
8. Animal Inspector
9. Town Engineer
10. Assistant Town Engineer
11. Respite Care Progam Director
12. Home Delivered Meals Coordinator
13. Superintendent of Buildings
14. Senior Citizens Activities Coordinator
15. Assistant Dog Officer

10. Under Section 24 Subtitled "Job Titles and Standard Rates of Wages and Salaries of the Personnel Wage and Salary By-Law" by adding the following positions:

Town Police Department

5. Civilian Dispatcher

Sewer Commission

1. Sewer Superintendent
2. Sewer Maintenance Mechanic

11. Under Section 25 Subtitled "Compensation for Academic Achievement" by deleting the entire section.

12. By renumbering the following Sections:

18. Personal Leave
19. Jury Duty
20. Bereavement and Funeral Leave
21. Hours of Work
22. The Work Week
23. Business Hours
24. Amendment
25. Repealer
26. Job Titles and Standard Rates For Wages and Salaries of the Personnel Wage and Salary By-Law.

UNDER ARTICLE 2A Elizabeth Delaney Chairman of the Personnel explained that this is the Board's recommendation of grade levels for all positions that come under the Boards's jurisdiction. She proceeded to go through each section and explained the amendments and added positions where necessary. The Finance Committee recommended the article. The Board of Selectmen recommended the article. Discussion took place concerning hourly rate of the Ass't Dog Officer and the hourly rate and responsibility of the Civilian Dispatcher. More discussion took place. Donna Luedecke questioned the Ass't Dog Officer's hours and what qualifications were needed to be a Civilian Dispatcher. Bernard Lynch explained that the Ass't Dog Officer would rarely work more than fifteen hours a week. He is to work evenings and cover the weekends when the Dog Officer isn't available. Concerning the Civilian Dispatcher there is training available and the employees will be encouraged to take advantage of this. A question was raised by Edward Nolet concerning the number of Deputy Chief positions available. Elizabeth Delaney explained that this is the grade level only of the position and doesn't reflect the actual number of people holding the positon. Barry Balan moved the question to stop debate. The Moderator asked for a voice vote. Motion carried unanimously. The Article reads as follows:

Chairman of the Personnel Board, Elizabeth Delaney moved that the Town vote to amend the Personnel Wage and Salary By-Law by further amending Section 26, "Job Titles and Standard Rates for Wages and Salaries of the Personnel Wage and Salary By-Law", to conform to rates of pay negotiated by the Town with certain labor organizations, pursuant to General Laws Chapter 150E, and to reflect current salaries and grade levels under the Personnel By-Law as follows:

	7/88 - 7/89 Current Level	7/89 - 7/90 Proposed Level
ADMINISTRATIVE AND CLERICAL		
1. Executive Secretary	5	5
2. Town Accountant	3	3
3. Veterans' Agent	2	2
4. Council of Aging Director	2	2
5. Assistant to Assessors	1D	1D
6. Assistant Town Clerk	2	2
7. Assistant Treasurer	2	2
8. Clerk, Senior	1C	1C
9. Clerk, Junior	1B	1B
10. Clerk, Part-Time	1A	1A
11. Town Counsel	$500 P.A.	$500 P.A.
12. Board of Registrar, Three Members	$500 EA	$500 EA
13. Assistant Town Accountant	2	2
14. Admin. Assistant to the Executive Secretary	1D	1D
15. Town Clerk	3	3
16. Town Treasurer/Collector	3	3
17. Assessor	3	3
18. Assessor, Part-Time	1	1
CONSERVATION, PARKS AND CEMETERY		
1. Cemetery Superintendent	2	2
2. Supt. of Insect and Pest Control	$1,250 P.A.	$1,250 P.A.
3. Landscaper-Park	1A	1A
4. Laborer-Park	1A	1A
5. Unskilled Laborer	#2,#3	#2,#3
6. Skilled Forest Workman Conservation	1A	1A
7. Equipment Operator	1C	1C
8. Park Superintendent	2	2
CUSTODIAL		
1. Custodial	1B	1B
LIBRARY		
1. Library Director	4	4
2. Library Department Head	1D	2
3. Library Specialist	1C	1C
4. Library Assistant	1B	1B
5. Library Clerk	1A	1A

6.	Maintenance Assistant	1B	1B
7.	Page	#2,#3	#2,#3
8.	Library Assistant Director	2	3
9.	Maintenance Specialist	1C	1C
HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT			
1.	Highway Superintendent	3	3
2.	Highway Foreman	2	2
TOWN FIRE DEPARTMENT			
1.	Fire Chief	#2	#2
2.	Deputy fire Chief	4	4
3.	Captain	#2	#2
4.	Truck Mechanic (Fire and Police)	2	2
5.	Auto Mechanic (Fire and Police)	1D	1D
TOWN POLICE DEPARTMENT			
1.	Police Cheif	5	5
2.	Deputy Chief	4	4
3.	Captain	3	3
4.	Trainee	$359.50 P.W.	$359.50 P.W.
5.	Civilian Dispatcher	1C	1C
RECREATION			
1.	Waterfront Director	1A	1A
2.	Swimming Instructor	1A	1A
3.	Lifegaurd	1A	1A
4.	Program Supervisor	1B	1B
5.	Recreation Specialist	1A	1A
6.	Recreation Leader	1A	1A
SEWER COMMISSION			
1.	Sewer Superintendent	3	3
2.	Sewer Maintenance Mechanic	2	2
OTHER POSITIONS			
1.	Building Inspector	3	3
2.	Electrical Inspector	2	2
3.	Local Inspector	2	2
4.	Gas Inspector	#2 $8,500 P.A.	#2 $9,500 P.A.
5.	Dog Officer	1D	1D
6.	Van Driver	1B	1B
7.	Sealer of Weights and Measures	#2 $2,000 P.A.	#2 $2,000 P.A.
8.	Animal Inspector	#2 $1,000 P.A.	#2 $1,000 P.A.
9.	Town Engineer	3	4
10.	Assistant Town Engineer	2	2
11.	Respite Care Program Director	1D	1D
12.	Home Delivered Meals Coordinator	1A	1A
13.	Superintendent of Buildings	1D	1D
14.	Senior Citizens Activities Coordinator	1B	1B
15.	Assistant Dog Officer	1B	1B

FOOTNOTES
#1-Represented by Collective Bargaining
#2-Not in "Job Rating Plan"
#3-$4.25/Hr first year, $4.75/Hr second year, $5.25/Hr, third year

UNDER ARTICLE 3 Town Treasurer James Doukszewicz moved that the Town vote to rasie and appropriate, the sum of $22,500 to engage a private accounting firm to prepare and audit of all accounts in all departments in the Town of Chelmsford.

James Doukszewicz explained that this is a yearly request that the Town must do in order to comply with state law. The Finance Committee and the Board of Selectmen recommended the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 4 Selectman Henrick R. Johnson Jr, moved that the Town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $193 with which to meet bills of previous years.

Selectman Johnson explained that this was a clothing bill submitted by the Police Department. The Finance Committee recommended the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 5 Selectman Henrick R. Johnson Jr, moved that the Town vote to table this article until Monday May 1st due to the pending recount of the Charter question. The Finance Committee supported the motion. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 6 James Harrington moved that the Town vote to accept provisions of Section 12 of Chapter 188 of the Acts of 1985, the School Impovement Act. in relation to the Equal Educational Opportunity Grant in the amount of Seventeen Thousand Nine Hundred Twenty Dollars ($17,920.00), for the Nashoba Valley Technical High School, conditioned upon the funding of said programs by any source other than the town of Chelmsford, and further conditioned upon, to the extent permitted by law, that said professional grant programs, and any monies paid to any employee of the Nashoba Valley Technical High School, shall not be used or considered a past practice for the purpose of collective bargaining and shall be nonrecurring lump sum payment not built into school employees salary schedules.

The Finance Committee recommended the article. Dwight Hayward explained that this is a routine article. The Board of Selectmen supported the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 7 Chairman of the School Committee Barbara Ward moved to withdraw the article on the advice of Town Counsel. The Finance Committee and the Board of Selectmen were in favor of the motion. Motion carried, unanimously. **(see warrant for wording)**

UNDER ARTICLE 8 Selectman Henrick R. Johnson Jr, moved that the Town vote to transfer and appropriate from the Stabilization Fund the sum of $60,000 for the purpose of purchasing Four (4) Police Cruisers for the Police Department and to sell by good and sufficient bill of sale Four (4) obsolete vehicles: and moved that the Town vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to negotiate and execute all necessary and proper contracts and agreements thereto.

The Finance Committee recommended the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 9 Chairman of the Capital Planning Committee James Doukszewicz, moved to dismiss this article. The Finance recommended dismissal of the article. This article was already passed in the special town meeting under article 7. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 10 Chairman of the Capital Planning Committee James Doukszewicz, explained the article. The Capital Planning process began from October 1988 through January 31, 1989. The items shown are the recommended list from the review process. He proceeded to read each line item and explained the request. The Finance Committee recommended the article. A discussion followed. Mike McTeague, Edward Fultz, Matthew Whiting, asked questions about the different items. A lengthy discussion took place about item 21, numerous questions were asked. Thomas Carroll of the School Department explained the request. More discussion took place. Matthew Whiting moved to amend the article by deleting line item 21 from the article. The Finance Committee and the Board of Selectmen were against the motion to amend. Discussion took place. Selectman Johnson moved the question to stop debate. Motion carried unanimously. The Moderator asked for a voice vote on the motion to delete item 21, motion defeated. A question was raised on item 9 by William White. Would the police department be receiving semi automatic weapons? Bernard Lynch said that the whole department would be supplied with semi automatic weapons. William White wanted to know if the citizens will be able to purchase the old hand guns. James Doukszewicz explained that the dollar amount shown included the trade-in value of the old guns. After more discussion Scott McCaig moved the question to stop debate. Motion carried, unanimously. The Moderator asked for a voice vote on the article, motion carried, unanimously. The article reads as follows:

Chairman of the Capital Planning Committee James Doukszewicz, and Selectman Henrick Johnson moved that the Town vote to borrow the sum of $1,546823. for the following capital projects:

SEWER COMMISSION

1.	Truck for foreman	$ 14,000.00
2.	Completion of drainage facilities plan	$ 237,123.00
3.	Funds for alleviation of drainage problems	$ 30,000.00

CEMETERY COMMISSION

4.	Data processing equipment	$ 14,000.00

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

5.	Two 1/2-ton pick-up trucks	$ 28,000.00
6.	Road resurfacing	$ 400,000.00
7.	Sand screening plant	$ 40,000.00
8.	One cab and frame truck with sander	$ 48,000.00

POLICE DEPARTMENT

9.	Replace handguns	$ 14,000.00

FIRE DEPARTMENT

10.	New pumping engine	$ 195,000.00
11.	Improvements to station 03 building	$ 10,000.00

LIBRARY

12.	Exterior siding & insulation work for Carriage House, Children's House and Back Shed	$ 40,000.00

PUBLIC BUILDINGS

13.	Chairlift for Old Town Hall & installation	$ 20,000.00

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

14.	Rte. 129 traffic study	$ 50,000.00

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

15.	Gas burners at Byam School replaced	$ 31,000.00
16.	Septic system & treatment plant at High School	$ 10,000.00
17.	South Row Roof work	$ 225,000.00
18.	McCarthy Roofs recoated	$ 10,200.00
19.	New generator for McCarthy School	$ 25,500.00
20.	Restroom conversion work for handicap access	$ 75,000.00
21.	15 word processors for Grade 06 at McCarthy plus modems, wiring and installation	$ 30,000.00
	TOTAL	$1,546,823.00

Michael McTeague moved to adjourn the meeting until Monday evening May 1, 1989 at 7:30 PM, the McCarthy Middle School Gymnasium. A point of order was raised by Gregg Jones about the assault weapon by-law. Could this article be brought up again this year once this meeting adjourns? The Moderator explained that the article could not be brought back at anytime during this annual meeting. An article would have to be submitted for another Annual or Special Town Meeting. It could not be brought up again on Monday May 1st. The Moderator asked for a voice vote on the motion to adjourn, motion carried, unanimously. The Meeting adjourned at 11:00 PM.

Dennis McHugh, Moderator

Mary E. St.Hilaire, Town Clerk

ADJOURNED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING
MAY 1, 1989

The Adjourned Annual Town Meeting was called to order at the McCarthy Middle School Gymnasium, at 7:40 PM by the Moderator Dennis McHugh who recognized the presence of a quorum. There were 558 voters present.

The Moderator explained the town meeting rules and regulations. He also pointed out the fire exits within the gymnasium.

Selectman Henrick Johnson moved to asked permission from the Town Meeting Body to allow Bernard Lynch, Thomas Carroll, and William Mullen, to address the voters during the meeting. These people are Town Officials and Department Heads who are non residents of the Town, who may be called upon to explain the articles. Motion carried, unanimously.

Selectman Johnson moved to take article 5 off the table. Motion carried, unanimously. Selectman Johnson moved to dismiss this article. With the ratification of vote of the Charter last Wednesday this article now comes under the jurisdication of the new charter and it is not necessary for the body to act on it. The Finance Committee recommended the motion to withdraw. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 11 Selectman Henrick Johnson Jr. moved that the Town vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to acquire in fee simple by purchase, eminent domain or otherwise, a certain parcel of property situaed at Hunt and Littleton Roads, more particularly described on a Plan entitled "Plan of land, Chelmsford, Massachusetts, prepared by Howe Survey, Associates, March 16, 1989" and on file with the Town Engineer, for highway purposes and I move that the town raise and appropriate the sum of $1500 to defray all necessary costs, fees and expenses in connection with the acquisition of said land and for paying any damage which may be awarded as the result of any such taking.

Selectman Johnson explained that this is property needed to correct one of the most dangerous intersections in Town. The fee is not a large one. The Finance Committee recommended the article. Norman LeBrecque questioned if the taking was a friendly one. James Harrington explained that the money amount shown is the exact appraisal value of the land. The Moderator asked for a voice vote, motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 12 Selectman Henrick Johnson Jr. moved that the Town vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, to lease for a ten year term, a certain parcel of land shown as Lot 51 on Assessors Map 26 with provisions for removing sand from the property for municipal purposes: and to raise and appropriate the sum of $20,000 for the first year of said lease.

Bernard Lynch explained that presently the Town is paying $8.00 per yard for sand. The land in this article is six acres and contains an estimate of 90,000 yards of sand. The cost per yard would be $2.00 per yard. Even after paying the ten year lease the savings will be $300,000. The Finance Committee recommended the article, but reminded the body that the Town will be paying $20,000 per year for ten years. A discussion took place. The Moderator asked for a voice vote, motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 13 Selectman Henrick Johnson Jr. moved that the Town

vote to accept the provisions of Clause 41C and Clause 17D of Chapter 59, Section 5 of the General Laws of Massachusetts which permit limited property tax exemptions for qualifying low income residents.

John Shepardson who submitted the article explained that it would be a benefit for the many elderly taxpayers who are on a fixed income. The Finance Committee did not support the article because it will mean less revenue for the town. The Board of Selectmen recommended it. Town Treasurer James Doukszewicz explained that the money for the abatements comes from the abatement reserve funds, not from the actual tax money. Assessor Diane Philips explained that this would also include any widow regardless of age. She gave a estimate of the number of abatements and the dollar amount involved. The Moderator asked for a voice vote, motion carried.

UNDER ARTICLE 14 The Moderator explained that he would go through and read each department's total budget figure and ask if there was any need for discussion. He began with the Accounting Department and went as far as Cable Tv Commission. A question was asked concerning this budget. Jacob Sartz explained that the money is used for the local cable channel 43 to do live broadcasts such as town meetings, Selectmen and School Committe Meetings. The Moderator read from Conservation Commission to the Insurance (Liability) budget. Richard Codling wanted to know exactly what type of insurance this pertained to. Bernard Lynch explained that this included a number of different types of insurance policies. It included the General liability of the Town. Motor vehicle insurance, equipment liability. Police special liability, workman's compensation. The Moderator read the Law Department budget. William Dalton raised a question about line item 24. He wanted to know what was special counsel? Bernard Lynch explained that this was the expense of special counsel used for labor negotiations. A discussion took place. The Moderator read from Medical Bills Retired Police & Fire through Public Buildings. Norman LeBrecque asked why the salary account was reduce. Bernard Lynch explained that the custodian staff was being reduced by a half of person. The Moderator read from the Registrars Department to the Dog Officer Budget. Richard Tevlin questioned the care of live animals having a zero figure. Bernard Lynch said that the Selectmen wanted to amend the this figure. The Modertor read the motion. Selectmen Henrick Johnson moved to increase line item 56 under the Dog Officer Budget by $1800 for a total budget of $36,886. The Moderator asked for any discussion, hearing none he asked for a voice vote on the motion to amend. Motion carried, unanimously. He proceeded to read from Emergency Management Agency to the Fire Department where a discussion took place. William Dalton wanted to know why the salaries line item increased. Bernard Lynch explained that this was the cost of living increase and projected merit increases for the employess under the personnel board, and the clerical union, plus the additional deputy chief. William Dalton quesioned why the deputy chief was added and not four lieutenants and six firefighters. Bernard Lynch said that the decision was made by the Fire Chief. The study did recommend the additional changing staff, however it said due to the problem of the minimum manning clause this would defeat the purpose of adding the additional men. More discussion took place concerning the salaries. William Dalton stated that the men only make $10.52 an hour. The Moderator read the Hydrant Service and Selectman Dennis Ready made a statement thanking the Water Department for their coperation in maintaining the hydrants and reducing this to a zero budget. Under Inspect/Pest Control a discussion took place. James Sousa questioned why there such a difference from what has been expended from previous years to what is being requested for this years budget. He used line item 67 and also line items 2,24,41,56,as an example. Bernard Lynch

explained that these budget figures reflect transfers which are made for unforseen circumstances that happen through the year. Richard Day explained the insect pest control is done only at certain time of the year. And the higher figure is what the state expected the town to spend on control. Due to budget constraints the decision was made to ask for only what would really be needed for the time being. The Moderator proceeded to read from the Inspection Department to the Highway Department, where Norman LeBrecque questioned line item 68 under the Inspection Department. Bernard Lynch explained that this included a one time sick by back figure for an employee. Under the Highway Department Selectman Henrick Johnson moved to increase line item 85 Salary to read $614,914. and decrease line item 86 expenses to read $436,440. for a total Highway Department of $1,321,354. The Finance Committee supported the motion to amend. Norman LeBrecque questioned why if there is an increase in the figure that the figure is still lower than the amount requested. There is definatly a need for work to be done on the streets and other areas in town. Why does it seem like the work force is being reduced. This department is always being cut back. Bernard Lynch explained the difference in the figures. The Moderator asked for a voice vote on the motion to amend, motion carried, unanimously. The Moderator read from Street Lighting through Sewer Department. A questioned was asked why the salary line item was increased? John Emerson explained that this figure reflected the salary of the two new employees, the Superintendent and the Maintenance Mechanic. Under the Waste Collection a discussion took place. Voters voiced their concerns about the rising cost. It was mentioned that the unfairness of other budgets being cut back while this one is increasing without any control above the 2 1\2 % increase allowed. Under the School Department budget Chairman of the School Committee Barbara Ward moved to amend the bottom line to be increased by $10,000. This is the appropiation from Public Law 874 in the amount of $10,000. for a net School Department of $21,131,513. The School Committee just received this figure. The amount will be reimbursed by the Federal Government, but it must show in the budget before any reimbusement will be made. Basically it will be a washout. The Finance Committee supported the motion to increase. The Moderator asked for a voice vote on the motion to increase, motion carried, unanimously. Under the Council on Aging Henrick Johnson moved to reduce line item 114 to read 98,030 for a total budget figure of $121,780. The Finance Committee was in favor of the motion. Motion carried, unanimously, by voice vote. The Modertor read from Cultural Council through the Recreation Department. A question was asked concerning the salary increase. Bernard Lynch explained that this reflects the cost of covering the additional fields and Varney Playground. The Moderator read from Varney Playground through the Debt and Interest Budget. Dwight Hayward moved to reduce line 147 interest payment by the amount of available overlay surplus reserve of $81,618, for a total budget figure of $2,004,182. Dwight Haywood explained that this is money that has become availble and according to state law must be used to reduce a budget. The Finance Committee selected this budget as the one where the money will be used. The Moderator asked for a voice vote on the motion, motion carried. The Moderator asked that the Town Meeting Body vote to raise and appropriate the amount of $42,660,214 plus the transfer from PL874 of $10,000, and the transfer from the overlay surplus reserve account of $81,618 for the total operating budget figure of $42,751,832,. A discussion took place concerning the funding of the School Department and Fire Department contracts. Dwight Haywood explained that there would be a number of options available. Either a user's fee could be used for the trash pick up. An override is another option. As of July lst free cash will be available and other as well as other departmental receipts such as collection of back real-estate taxes. The Moderator asked for further discussion, hearing none he asked for a voice vote on the total operating figure of $42,751,832. motion carried unanimously. The article reads as follows:

GENERAL GOVERNMENT: 4.5% OF TOTAL BUDGET

	FY88 Expended	FY89 Appropriated (Includes) Special Town Meetings and Reserve Fund Transfers)	FY90 Finance Committee Recommendation (For Balanced) Budget)
ACCOUNTING DEPARTMENT			
1. Salary	$ 105,621	$ 112,430	$ 118,321
2. Expense	9,519	3,000	3,000
3. Outlay	0	1	1
Total Accounting Department	$ 115,140	$ 115,431	$ 121,322
ASSESSORS DEPARTMENT			
4. Salary	$ 141,512	$ 160,861	$ 158,718
5. Expense	58,830	56,970	56,555
6. Outlay	1,100	800	500
7. Out-of-State	0	0	1
8. Legal Services	1,665	6,610	5,000
9. Revaluation Update	2,100	33,000	33,000
Total Assessors Department	$ 205,207	$ 258,241	$ 253,774
BOARD OF APPEALS			
10. Expense	$ 7,137	$ 26,317	$ 6,449
	1988 Annual Receipts: $7,395		
CABLE TV COMMISSION			
11. Expense	$ 3,500	$ 3,650	$ 4,000
	1988 Annual Receipts: $3,673		
CONSERVATION COMMISSION			
12. Salary	$ 4,381	$ 6,398	$ 6,815
13. Expense	2,859	7,615	4,150
Total Conservation Commission	$ 7,240	$ 14,013	$ 10,965
	1988 Annual Receipts: $1,474		

	FY88 Expended	FY89 Appropriated (Includes) Special Town Meetings and Reserve Fund Transfers)	FY90 Finance Committee Recommendation (For Balanced) Budget)
CONSTABLE			
14. Salary	$ 361	$ 500	$ 500
DATA PROCESSING			
15. Expense	$ 9,435	$ 18,670	$ 15,670
ELECTIONS			
16. Expenses	$ 18,699	$ 30,569	$ 27,585
FINANCE COMMITTEE			
17. Expense	$ 2,551	$ 3,150	$ 3,150
HISTORICAL COMMISSION			
18. Expense	$ 332	$ 1,560	$ 1,712
HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION			
19. Expense	$ 1,220	$ 1,500	$ 1,575
INSURANCE (LIABILITY)			
20. Expense	$ 673,258	$ 662,009	$ 718,800
LAW			
21. Salary	$ 500	$ 500	$ 500
22. Expense	741	750	750
23. Legal Services	48,848	55,000	58,750
24. Special Counsel	39,840	15,000	15,000
Total Law Department	$ 89,929	$ 71,250	$ 75,000
MEDICAL BILLS RETIRED POLICE & FIRE			
25. Expense	$ 4,329	$ 2,500	$ 2,500
MOBILE HOME RENT CONTROL BOARD			
26. Expense	$ 1,372	$ 1	$ 1
MODERATOR			
27. Salary	$ 300	$ 300	$ 300
28. Expense	75	75	75
Total Moderator	$ 375	$ 375	$ 375
NMAC			
29. Expense	$ 9,000	$ 9,068	$ 9,068
PERSONNEL BOARD			
30. Expense	$ 579	$ 800	$ 1,200
PLANNING BOARD			
31. Salary	$ 18,421	$ 20,113	$ 20,459
32. Expense	3,498	4,326	4,502
33. Outlay	0	1	1
Total Planning Board	$ 21,919	$ 24,440	$ 24,962

1988 Annual Receipts: $9,250

PUBLIC BUILDINGS	FY88 Expended	FY89 Appropriated (Includes) Special Town Meetings and Reserve Fund Transfers)	FY90 Finance Committee Recommendation (For Balanced) Budget)
34. Salary	$ 61,921	$ 80,401	$ 73,811
35. Expense	60,459	66,850	60,174
36. Outlay	2,917	4,000	3,500
Total Public Buildings	$ 125,297	$ 151,251	$ 137,485
1988 Annual Receipts: $35,160			
REGISTRARS DEPARTMENT			
37. Salary	$ 24,418	$ 26,257	$ 27,677
38. Expense	9,888	10,320	11,925
39. Outlay (Net of $3,400 Grant)	0	1	1
Total Registrars Department	$ 34,306	$ 36,578	$ 39,603
SELECTMEN DEPARTMENT			
40. Salary	$ 95,607	$ 108,489	$ 115,878
41. Expense	33,145	22,200	21,800
42. Outlay	0	1	0
43. Out of State	580	1,500	1,500
Total Selectmen Department	$ 129,332	$ 132,190	$ 139,178
1988 Annual Receipts: $108,088			
TOWN CLERK			
44. Salary	$ 108,609	$ 109,507	$ 115,263
45. Expense	5,767	6,700	6,650
46. Out of State	153	801	800
47. Outlay	400	1	1
Total Town Clerk Department	$ 114,929	$ 117,009	$ 122,714
1988 Annual Receipts: $26,994			
TOWN CLOCK			
48. Expense	$ 600	$ 1	$ 0
TOWN & FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORTS			
49. Expense	$ 5,200	$ 6,500	$ 6,500
TREASURER/COLLECTOR			
50. Salary	$ 167,121	$ 179,021	$ 180,997
51. Expense	41,200	34,624	37,975
52. Outlay	460	5,780	1
Total Treasurer/Collector	$ 208,781	$ 219,425	$ 218,973
1988 Annual Receipts: $543,884			

PUBLIC SAFETY: 13.5% OF TOTAL BUDGET

DOG OFFICER			
53. Salary	$ 26,671	$ 22,025	$ 28,586
54. Expense	3,224	8,000	6,500
55. Pound Rental	1,000	1	0
56. Care of Live Animals	1,786	1,800	1,800
Total Dog Officer Department	$ 32,681	$ 31,826	$ 36,886
1988 Annual Receipts: $27,057			

	FY88 Expended	FY89 Appropriated (Includes) Special Town Meetings and Reserve Fund Transfers)	FY90 Finance Committee Recommendation (For Balanced) Budget)
EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY			
57. Expense	$ 1,348	$ 2,190	$ 1,758
58. Outlay	1,020	1,101	1,105
Total Emergency Management Agency	$ 2,368	$ 3,291	$ 2,863
FIRE DEPARTMENT			
59. Salary	$ 2,403,274	$ 2,459,282	$ 2,526,290
60. Expense	129,251	157,010	175,460
61. Out of State	0	1,000	1,500
62. Outlay	13,360	18,485	16,910
Total Fire Department	$ 2,545,885	$ 2,635,777	$ 2,720,160
Appropriation from Revenue Sharing	30,000	0	0
Net Cost to Fire Department	$ 2,515,885	$ 2,635,777	$ 2,720,160
1988 Annual Receipts: $4,052			
HYDRANT SERVICE			
63. Center	$ 54,700	$ 0	$ 0
64. North	19,300	0	0
65. East	7,000	0	0
Total Hydrant Service	$ 81,000	$ 0	$ 0
INSECT/PEST CONTROL			
66. Salary	$ 1,250	$ 1,250	$ 1,250
67. Expense	10,680	5,800	5,800
Total Insect/Pest Control	$ 11,930	$ 7,050	$ 7,050
INSPECTION DEPARTMENT			
68. Salary	$ 169,359	$ 179,126	$ 194,544
69. Expense	15,025	17,251	16,905
70. Out-of-State	384	500	500
71. Outlay	0	1	1
Total Inspection Department	$ 184,768	$ 196,878	$ 211,950
1988 Annual Receipts: $313,572			
POLICE DEPARTMENT			
72. Salary	$ 2,232,928	$ 2,377,449	$ 2,499,792
73. Expense	269,239	212,309	234,400
74. Out-of-State	1,350	1,500	1,500
75. Outlay	25,809	1	5,300
76. Expense—Auxiliary	3,070	2,631	3,000
77. Outlay—Auxiliary	0	100	500
78. Police Mutual Aid	2,000	1	0
Total Police Department	$ 2,534,396	$ 2,593,991	$ 2,744,492
Appropriation from Revenue Sharing	30,000	0	0
Net Cost to Police Department	$ 2,504,396	$ 2,593,991	$ 2,744,492
1988 Annual Receipts: $289,397			
SEALER OF WEIGHTS & MEASURES			
79. Salary	$ 2,100	$ 2,100	$ 2,100
80. Expense	112	300	300
Total Sealer of Weights & Measures	$ 2,212	$ 2,400	$ 2,400
1988 Annual Receipts: $1,380			

	FY88 Expended	FY89 Appropriated (Includes) Special Town Meetings and Reserve Fund Transfers)	FY90 Finance Committee Recommendation (For Balanced) Budget)
TRAFFIC & SAFETY COMMITTEE			
81. Expense	$ 21,594	$ 49,300	$ 32,500
TREE WARDEN DEPARTMENT			
82. Salary	$ 1,000	$ 1,000	$ 1,000
83. Expense	13,874	13,875	12,875
84. Outlay	0	1	1
Total Tree Warden Department	$ 14,874	$ 14,876	$ 13,876
HIGHWAYS: 3.6% OF TOTAL BUDGET			
HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT			
85. Salary	$ 665,497	$ 659,945	$ 614,914
86. Expense	464,994	458,593	436,440
87. Snow & Ice	484,825	270,000	270,000
Total Highway Department	$ 1,615,316	$ 1,388,538	$ 1,321,354
Appropriation from Revenue Sharing	0	7,200	0
Net Cost Highway Department	$ 1,615,316	$ 1,381,338	$ 1,321,354
STREET LIGHTING			
88. Expense	$ 132,399	$ 140,000	$ 140,000
TOWN ENGINEER			
89. Salary	$ 77,765	$ 84,492	$ 86,664
90. Expense	9,374	10,885	13,750
91. Out-of-State	0	1	1
92. Outlay	531	1,000	1
Total Town Engineer	$ 87,670	$ 96,378	$ 100,416
1988 Annual Receipts: $2,649			
HEALTH & SANITATION: 4.6% OF TOTAL BUDGET			
ANIMAL INSPECTOR			
93. Salary	$ 1,000	$ 1,000	$ 1,000
94. Expense	200	400	400
Total Animal Inspector	$ 1,200	$ 1,400	$ 1,400
LOWELL MENTAL HEALTH			
95. Expense	$ 8,695	$ 12,000	$ 9,000
HEALTH DEPARTMENT			
96. Salary	$ 116,177	$ 123,256	$ 131,413
97. Expense	28,419	32,225	33,850
98. Out-of-State	0	1	1
99. Outlay	0	1	1
100. Mosquito Control	2,528	10,000	10,000
Total Health Department	$ 147,124	$ 165,483	$ 175,265
1988 Annual Receipts: $44,584			

	FY88 Expended	FY89 Appropriated (Includes) Special Town Meetings and Reserve Fund Transfers)	FY90 Finance Committee Recommendation (For Balanced) Budget)	Vote
SEWER COMMISSION				
101. Salary	$ 36,414	$ 91,999	$ 124,866	
102. Expense	19,240	45,000	85,500	
103. Out-of-State	2,167	5,000	5,000	
104. Outlay	0	1	1	
105. Professional Fees	54,992	65,000	65,000	
Total Sewer Commission	$ 112,813	$ 207,000	$ 280,367	
WASTE COLLECTION				
106. Expense	$ 1,182,333	$ 1,182,334	$ 1,500,000	
CHELMSFORD SCHOOL DEPARTMENT: 49.5% OF TOTAL BUDGET				
CHELMSFORD SCHOOL DEPARTMENT				
107. Salary	$ 15,394,906	$ 16,070,546	$	
108. Expense	4,272,925	4,707,016		
Total School Department	$ 19,667,831	$ 20,777,562	$ 21,131,513	
NASHOBA: 1.5% OF TOTAL BUDGET				
NASHOBA VALLEY TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOL				
109. Total Town Assessment	$ 637,520	$ 677,490	$ 630,776	
COMMUNITY SERVICE: 2.7% OF TOTAL BUDGET				
CEMETERY DEPARTMENT				
110. Salary	$ 138,574	$ 155,564	$ 137,947	
111. Expense	26,424	28,702	30,930	
112. Out-of-State	500	1	500	
113. Outlay	3,094	2,800	3,600	
Total Cemetery Department	$ 168,592	$ 187,067	$ 172,977	
	1988 Annual Receipts: $21,045			
COUNCIL ON AGING				
114. Salary	$ 83,782	$ 89,331	$ 104,915	
115. Expense	24,463	15,160	23,750	
Total Council on Aging	$ 108,245	$ 104,491	$ 128,665	
	1988 Annual Receipts: $25,241			
CULTURAL COUNCIL				
116. Expense	$ 95	$ 100	$ 150	
ELDER SERVICES OF MERRIMACK VALLEY				
117. Expense	$ 1,800	$ 1,800	$ 1,800	
COMMISSION ON HANDICAPPED AFFAIRS				
118. Expense	$ 94	$ 1,900	$ 300	

	FY88 Expended	FY89 Appropriated (Includes) Special Town Meetings and Reserve Fund Transfers)	FY90 Finance Committee Recommendation (For Balanced) Budget)
LIBRARY DEPARTMENT			
119. Salary	$ 443,667	$ 486,176	$ 529,554
120. Expense	79,137	89,220	86,157
121. Out-of-State	0	500	500
122. Outlay	0	1	1
123. Books & Periodicals	112,512	120,750	129,200
Total Library Department	$ 635,316	$ 696,647	$ 745,412
	1988 Annual Receipts: $16,830		
VETERANS BENEFITS			
124. Salary	$ 51,087	$ 58,237	$ 55,855
125. Expense	4,425	4,470	4,605
126. Outlay	100	1	1
127. Cash & Material Grant	54,266	55,120	55,120
Total Veterans Benefits Department	$ 109,878	$ 117,828	$ 115,581
	Grant Reimbursement @75%		
PARKS & RECREATION: .3% OF TOTAL BUDGET			
EDWARDS MEMORIAL BEACH			
128. Expense	$ 0	$ 700	$ 1
PARK DEPARTMENT			
129. Salary	$ 35,193	$ 41,902	$ 42,916
130. Expense	4,786	6,700	6,700
131. Outlay	0	1	1
Total Park Department	$ 39,979	$ 48,603	$ 49,617
RECREATION DEPARTMENT			
132. Salary	$ 41,360	$ 44,843	$ 53,500
133. Expense	23,593	16,833	24,742
134. Outlay	0	1	1
Total Recreation Department	$ 64,953	$ 61,677	$ 78,243
VARNEY PLAYGROUND			
135. Salary	$ 3,979	$ 3,308	$ 0
136. Expense	1,273	2,099	0
137. Outlay	0	3,300	0
Total Varney Playground	$ 5,252	$ 8,707	$ 0
PUBLIC CELEBRATION: .0% OF TOTAL BUDGET			
HOLIDAY DECORATING COMMITTEE			
138. Expense	$ 750	$ 750	$ 250
MEMORIAL DAY COMMITTEE			
139. Expense	$ 1,000	$ 1,000	$ 1,000
TOWN CELEBRATION COMMITTEE			
140. Expense	$ 2,213	$ 1,500	$ 1,500

	FY88 Expended	FY89 Appropriated (Includes) Special Town Meetings and Reserve Fund Transfers)	FY90 Finance Committee Recommendation (For Balanced) Budget)
MPLOYEE BENEFITS: 8.1% OF TOTAL BUDGET			
OUNTY RETIREMENT ASSESSMENT			
41. Expense	$ 1,182,316	$ 1,288,092	$ 1,454,049
SURANCE (LIFE & MEDICAL)			
42. Expense	$ 500,055	$ 1,300,656	$ 1,886,148
EDICARE TAX (FICA)			
43. Expense	$ 22,630	$ 32,500	$ 40,000
NEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS (STATE)			
44. Expense	$ 10,764	$ 200,000	$ 75,000
ETERANS PENSION CLAIMS			
45. Expense	$ 6,068	$ 6,630	$ 6,895
EBT SERVICE: 6.8% OF TOTAL BUDGET			
EBT & INTEREST			
PRINCIPAL PAYMENTS:			
Westland and Harrington Schools	$ 70,000	$ 0	$ 0
Byam School	100,000	100,000	100,000
School Bldg. Capital Improv #6	540,150	0	0
Sewer Plans & Design	252,000	250,000	250,000
Capital Improv. Art. 13-1986	0	575,000	575,000
Capital Improv. Art. 17-1987	0	0	500,000
Sewer Construction Phase 1***	0	500,000	1,300,000
Conservation Land Purchase	0	175,000	175,000
46. Total Principal Payments	$ 962,150	$ 1,600,000	$ 2,900,000
INTEREST PAYMENTS:			
Anticipation and other temporary loans	$ 337,116	$ 230,000	$ 230,000
Bond Anticipation Notes***	0	550,000	575,000
Westland and Harrington Schools	3,010	0	0
Byam Elem. School	15,000	9,000	3,000
School Bldg. Capital Improv.	24,307	0	0
Sewer Plans & Design	32,446	21,340	10,340
Capital Improv. Art. 13-1986	57,375	100,375	71,625
Capital Improv. Art. 17-1987	0	58,190	105,500
Capital Improv. Art. 13-1988	0	0	119,810
Senior Citizen Ctr.***	0	0	69,545
Sewer Construction Phase 1***	0	342,000	854,400
Conservation Land Purchase	0	58,480	46,580
47. Total Interest Payments	$ 469,254	$ 1,369,385	$ 2,085,800
***Exempt Principal and Interest $2,798,945			
nus Transfer from Overlay Surplus Fund			81,618
t Total			2,004,182
otal Operating Budget	$ 35,046,203	$ 39,113,405	$ 42,751,832

UNDER ARTICLE 15 Chairman of the Finance Committee Dwight Hayward, moved that the town vote to araise and apprpriate the sum of $200,000 to be used as a Reserve Funds at the discretion of the Finance Committee, as provided in General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 6.

Dwight Hayward explained that this is the money set aside for the Finance Committee to have when departments have emergency requests through the year. The Moderator asked for a voice vote, motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 16 Treasurer James Doukszewicz, moved that the Town vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, to enter into compensating balance agreements, during Fiscal Year 1990, as permitted by General Laws Chapter 41, Section 53F.

James Doukszewicz explained that this allows the town to invest monies with banks and in return the banks will provide the payroll service and data processing service at a no charge to the town. It saves the town an estimated $8,000. a year. The Finance Committee recommended the article. Motion carried, unanimously by voice vote.

UNDER ARTICLE 17 Treasurer James Doukszewicz, moved that the Town vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Board of Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the Financial year beginning July 1, 1989, in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 4, and to issue a note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 17 and 17(a).

James Doukszewicz explained this is a yearly item that gives the Treasurer permission to borrow until the revenue comes in from the tax bills. The Finance Committee recommended the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 18 Chairman of the Cemetery Commission, Charlotte DeWolf moved that the Town vote to a transfer the sum of $15,000 from the sale of graves and lots to the Improvement and Development Fund of the Cemetery Department.

Cemetery Superintendent Frank Peterson explained the article. The Finance Committee recommended the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 19 Chairman of the Planning Board moved that the Town vote to amend the Chelmsford Zoning By-law by deleting the present zoning map and substituting the redrafted map proposed by the Planning Board, as filed with the Town Clerk, and displayed at the Annual Town Meeting.

Ann McCarthy read the Planning Board's recommendation:

At the Planning Board meeting of February 8, 1989 the Planning Board voted unanimously (6-0) of the proposal to amend the zoning by-laws and zoning map from (P) Public to Roadside (CB).

Ann McCarthy explained that this land was the Landry Gas Station on route 27 Acton Road. It should not have been zoned public land. A mistake was made on the map and it should have always been zoned CB roadside commericial. The Finance Committee recommended the article. The Board of Selectmen support the article. a 2\3's vote is required. The Moderator asked for a voice vote, motion carried unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 20 John McCarthy moved that the Town vote to accept the provisions of paragraph 13 of General Law Chapter 41 Section 81U,

authorizing the Planning Board, with Selectmen approval, to use subdivision construction bond or deposit proceeds without appropriation, if the total amount of such proceeds do not exceed $100,000.00.

Ann McCarthy read the Planning Board's recommendation:

At the Planning Board meeting of April 12, 1989 the Planning Board voted unanimously (6-0) to recommend Article 20 of the Annual Town Meeting Warrant.

Ann McCarthy explained that this would allow the Board to use bond money from the subdivisions control law for appropriations rather than having to float a bond then come back to Town Meeting for appropriations. Town Counsel James Harrington verified this information. The Finance Committee recommended the article. The Moderator asked for a voice vote, motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 21 The Moderator asked permission from the Town Body to waive the requirement of him not to read the entire article. Motion carried. Bernard Lynch explained that this article updates the proceeds currently listed in the present by-law as recommended by the Town Engineer. The Finance Committee recommended the article. The Moderator asked for a voice vote, motion carried, unanimously. The article reads as follows:

Chairman of the Board of Selectman Henrick Johnson moved that the Town vote to amend the General By-Law, Article V Streets and Sidewalks, as follo

1. Under Section 2, Plans, Surveys, Measurements and Control by deleting Section 2.1 in its entirety and substituting in its place the following:
   2.1 Unless specifically waived by the Highway Superintendent, all applications for a permit under this By-Law shall be accompanied with the following:

2. Under Section 8, subtitled Construction Standards, by deleting Subsection 8.12 Grading, Rolling and Finishing in its entirety and substituting the following:
   8.12 Grading, Rolling and Finishing
   8.12.1 The word "approved" as appearing in Section 8 shall mean conforming to Massachusetts Department of Public Works Specifications, as amended.
   8.12.2 The trench in the street must be filled and temporarily resurfaced on the same day it is opened unless otherwise directed by the Highway Superintendent or his designee. The trench shall be backfilled with approved excavated materials to within nineteen and one-half (19 1/2) inches of the top. Eighteen (18) inches shall consist of approved gravel (State DPW Spec. M1.03.0 type b) and the remaining one and one-half (1 1/2) inches shall consist of temporary bituminous surface. Road surface

shall be pre-cut to avoid damaging surfaces surrounding the trench. If the temporary road surface is not placed the first day, then as soon as directed by the Highway Superintendent, the gravel sub-base shall be excavated to the required grade in order to place one and one-half (1 1/2) inches of temporary bituminous surface. The temporary pavement shall be placed and raked to a uniform surface, rolled to the required thickness and to a grade that will match the existing bituminous road surface.

The Permittee shall maintain the temporary surfacing and shall promptly fill with similar material any depressions and holes that may occur so as to keep the surfacing in a safe and satisfactory condition for traffic. Temporary resurfacing must be a minimum of one and one-half (1 1/2) inches compacted thickness and may consist of either so-called "Cold Patch" or plant mixed hot-asphalt aggregate, all as produced in accordance with the standard specifications of the Massachusetts Department of Public Works. The bituminous concrete surface shall not be placed until the expiration of 30 days from the date of completion of the temporary surface. The temporary sub-base shall be excavated to the grade required by these by-laws prior to placement of the bituminous concrete surface.

3. Under Section 8, Construction Standards, by deleting Subsection 8.13, Bituminous Concrete Pavement Replacement in its entirety and substituting the following:

8.13 Restoration of Permanent Paving
The Permittee shall remove and dispose of, in accordance with acceptable construction standards, all excavated material before proceeding with the remainder of the work and shall thoroughly compact the surface of the sub-base. Any broken or irregular edges of existing pavements shall be cut away in straight lines as directed by the Highway Superintendent, leaving a solid vertical face. The bituminous concrete base and top shall be laid and rolled in two (2) courses. The binder (base course) shall not be less than the existing roadway base course and shall not be less than two (2) inches in depth and the top course shall be one and one-half (1 1/2) inches in depth. The minimum total thickness

of both courses, measured after rolling, shall be three and one-half (3 1/2) inches. The base course of the permanent pavement shall be placed and carefully raked to minimum surface and thoroughly rolled to the required thickness. Before placing the base course of the permanent pavement, the edge of the original bituminous surfacing shall receive an application of approved asphalt emulsion so that the new pavement material may be properly bonded to the existing pavement. All seams shall be sealed with an approved emulsified liquid asphalt and sand. The top course of the permanent paving shall be placed to a grade that will match the existing bituminous surface after rolling. The permanent paving shall not overlap the existing pavement and shall not have to be applied with a mechanical spreader unless otherwise directed by the Highway Superintendent. The permittee shall furnish, place, grade, and compact Bituminous Concrete Pavement of Class I Type I-1 as shown and specified in the latest Massachusetts State Department of Public Works Standard Specifications for Highways and Bridges. Unless otherwise approved by the Highway Superintendent, a full width overlay will be required if greater than 50% of the roadway pavement width will be disturbed. In these cases, pavement overlay shall consist of one and one-half (1 1/2) inches of dense graded bituminous concrete and shall extend at least 30 feet beyond the street opening. Excavations shall be made in open cut. Tunneling will be allowed by special permission of the Superintendent. All excavations and trenches shall be braced and sheathed when necessary as required by OSHA specifications. Street openings shall be maintained by the Permittee for a period of two (2) years from the date of completion. No additional permits shall be issued to the permittee or contractor who has any outstanding unmaintained street openings. After new full width permanent surface is laid, street surface openings shall be prohibited for a period of 3 years for major and minor arterial roads and 2 years for collector and local roads, except in cases where a variance is obtained pursuant to Section 14 of these by-laws. The list of streets as classified by the Highway Superintendent shall be kept on file at the Highway Department. All permanent pavement markings, including but not limited to crosswalks, traffic and

center lines that are obliterated or damaged during construction shall be repainted by or under the direction of the Highway Superintendent at the expense of the Permittee.

4. Under Section 8, Construction Standards, by deleting Subsection 8.16, Concrete Sidewalk Replacement and substituting in its place the following:

8.16 Concrete Sidewalk Replacement Cement concrete sidewalks shall be repaired by making a new concrete block or blocks through the trench passes. Pre-formed expansion joints, when deemed necessary, will be installed against buildings, walls, steps, foundations or existing concrete blocks. The new cement concrete square shall consist of Entrained Class "A" (3500 p.s.i.) mix. All concrete must be cured by covering with material in accordance with acceptable construction standards or as directed by the Highway Superintendent. All walks shall be laid over a minimum of twelve (12) inches of well compacted gravel. Cement concrete shall be treated with silicone or linseed oil sealer for salt damage prevention.

5. By deleting Section 16, Municipal Department, and substituting in its place the following:

Section 16 Municipal Department
Municipal Departments of the Town of Chelmsford shall be exempt from the fees associated with this By-law, but shall conform to all other aspects of this by-law.

6. Under Section 1 Permit by adding the following Subsections:

1.9.1 All construction work performed under Article V shall be performed by a contractor licensed by the Highway Superintendent.

1.9.2 Contractors licensed to perform work under Article V shall carry Comprehensive Public Liability with minimum limits as follows:

a) Bodily Injuries - $100,000 per person
$300,000 aggregate

b) Property Damage - $100,000 per occurrence

Contractor shall deliver a current Certificate of Insurance to the Highway Superintendent before performing work under this Article and shall post a $5,000 performance bond with the Town securing work to be performed within the public right of way. On projects where the Highway Superintendent determines that the cost of construction is $10,000 or greater, the contractor shall post a performance bond payable to the Town securing 100% of the construction cost. The bond shall be released upon approval of the work by the Highway Superintendent.

1.9.3 Violations of the provisions of Article V shall result in the revocation, by the Superintendent, of the contractor's license to perform work in the Town of Chelmsford.

Richard Codling asked for a point of order. Due to the fact that Town Meeting was going to be history because of the new charter he wanted to submit a list to the Town Clerk, of those voters in attendence, who would be interested in becoming Town Meeting Members. Town Clerk Mary St.Hilaire, explained that the members had to take out nomination papers which would become available at her office on June 1st. The filing deadline would be August 1st. and that 25 certified signatures would be required.

UNDER ARTICLE 22 Chairman of the Recreation Commission, Robert Charpentier, moved that the Town vote to direct the Board of Selectmen to petition the Great and General Court of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to enact Special Legislation establishing a Recreation Commission Self-supporting Service Revolving Fund for the purpose of operating self-supporting recreation sevices, paying employee salaries, and purchasing equipment, in general conformity with the provisions of Mass General Laws, Chapter 44 Section 53D.

Bernard Lynch explained this would allow the recreation to set up a $10,000 revolving fund and pay the salaries out of that fund. The Finance Committee is in favor of the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

Normand LeBrecque wanted to reconsider article 21. He questioned how this by-law would effect the sewer construction and the average homeowner. It was explained that this does not effect the homeowner at all. It will only apply to the developers of subdivisions. The motion was withdrawn to reconsider.

UNDER ARTICLE 23 Selectman Johnson explained that this would prevent future stores from being able to add automatic amusement devices. Due to a number of complaints in neighborhoods where these stores are with the devices, the Board felt it would be in the best interest of the Town to ban any further licensing. Presently any stores who have these devices would be grandfathered. This is to prevent any future requests. A lenghtly discussion followed. A number of voters spoke against the article. Richard Jerome, Norman LeBrecque, Gregory Jones, Barry Balan. Selectman Johnson moved the question to stop debate. Motion carried to stop debate. The Moderator then asked for a

voice vote on the article, which left the chair in doubt he asked for a show of hands, motion defeated. (see warrant for wording)

UNDER ARTICLE 24 Chairman of the School Committee Barbara Ward explained that this was a by-law already in the town. The School Committee wanted to address the issue of motor vehicles on the school property. Therefore they were adding sections A,B,and C. This issue was raised because of a safety and liability insurance factor. A number of voters spoke against the article. The concern was that of the issue of skateboarding. Barbara Ward explained that the Town would be held responsible if any one injured themselves on a skateboard. Jacob Sartz spoke against the article. As did Richard Jerome, Elias Safdie, Linda Allen. Sam Poulton spoke in favor. David McLachlan moved to delete Item J from the By-law. He felt that he or anyone else should be able to use the grounds while school was in session. Evelyn DesMarais and John Conrad spoke against this motion to amend. After more discussion Scott McCaig moved the question to stop debate. Motion Carried. The Moderator asked for a voice vote on the motion to delete Item J., motion defeated. The Moderator asked for further discussion on the main motion. Scott McCaig moved the quesitn to stop debate. Motion carried, unanimsously. The Moderator asked for a voice vote on the article. Motion carried. The article reads as follows:

Chairman of the School Committee, Barbara Ward moved that the Town vote to amend the General By-Laws, Article IX, School Building and Grounds, by deleting "Section 1, Certain Uses of School Grounds Prohibited" in its entirety and substituting the following:

SECTION 1: Certain Uses of School Grounds Prohibited

The use of school grounds for the following activities is prohibited except where the user receives written authorization from the Superintendent or his designee:

A) Operation of any uninsured or unregistered motorized vehicle, including, but not limited to, automobiles, trucks, motorcycles, mini-bikes, snowmobiles, and all-terrain vehicles.

B) Racing of motor vehicles including, but not limited to automobiles, trucks, motorcycles, mini bikes, snowmobiles and all-terrain vehicles

C) Operation of any motor vehicle, including but not limited to automobiles, trucks, motorcycles, mini-bikes, snowmobiles, and all-terrain vehicles, off the driveways and parking areas

D) Repair and maintenance of any vehicle.

E) Horseback riding.

F) Camping

G) Golfing

H) Powered model airplane or rocket activities

I) Skate Boarding

J) Any non-school related use of school grounds while school is in session

UNDER ARTICLE 25 Selectman Henrick R. Johnson, moved that the Town vote to accept the following mentioned streets, as laid out by the Board of Selectmen and shown by their reports duly file in the office of the Town Clerk:

1. Armand Drive
2. Poplar Lane
3. Wiggin Street

Providing all the construction of the same meets with the requirements of the Board of Selectmen, and subject to the withholding of any remaining bonds until such requirements have been met and authorize the Board of Selectmen to acquire any and all temporary and/or permanent easements, and any property in fee simple, with trees thereon, by purchase, eminent domain, or otherwise, for the purpose of securing traffic safety and road improvements, and move that the Town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of six ($6.00) to defray all necessary costs, fees and expenses in connection with the acquisition of said land and for paying any damages which may be awarded as a result of any such taking: and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to negotiate and execute all necessary and proper contracts and agreements thereto.

Selectmen Johnson explained that the streets orginally listed Michael's Drive, Sarah Lane and Scotty Hollow Drive, bonds have not been released because the streets are not yet completed. The Finance Committee recommended the article. The Moderator asked for a voice vote motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 26 Selectman Johnson moved to dismiss this article. Due to litigations going on and it would be premature for the town to vote on the article. The Finance Committee was is favor of the article to withdraw. Motion carried, unanimously. **(see warrant for wording)**

UNDER ARTICLE 28 Chairman of the Sewer Commission, John P. Emerson moved that the Town vote to amend Section 5.1- Private Sewer Extension, of the Chelmsford Sewer Commission Betterment Assessment and Sewer Privilege Fees, dated September 18, 1986, as prepared by Weston & Sampson Engineers, Inc., copies of which are on file with the Office of the Board of Selectmen, and Town Clerk, by deleting in line 12 of Section 5.1 the letter "s" in the word "Sections" and the words "and 4.3".

Normand LeBrecque asked for an explanation. John Emerson explained that this is a change in the current rules and regulations. It would require a private developer or a person other than the Town of Chelmsford who constructs a sewer extension to the public sewer system to pay fee at the time of connection. The Moderator asked for more discussion hearing none, he asked for a voice vote, motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 29 Chairman of the Sewer Commission John Emerson asked to dismiss this article. The action already took place under article 8 of the Special Town Meeting of April 24th. The Finance Committee recommended the dismissal. Motion Carried, unanimsously.

UNDER ARTICLE 30 Selectman Henrick Johnson and Chairman of the nservation Commission, James McBride moved that the Town vote to cept the Special Legislation dated November 30, 1987 entitle "An Act Establish the Chelmsford-Carlisle Regional Conservation District in e Town of Chelmsford and Carlisle" a copy of which is on file in the fice of the Conservation Commission of the Town of Chelmsford, said ecial Legislation creating a Conservation District to encompass the operty purchased by the Town of Chelmsford and the Town of Carlisle own as the Cranberry Bogs as described in a deed to the Town of elmsford, recorded in Middlesex North district Registry of Deeds, Book 841, Page 244, and to the Town of Carlisle recorded in the Middlesex rth Registry of Deeds, Book 3841, page 268.

James McBride explained that this is the last step in going to the ate Legislation. If this is voted it could free up $463,000.00 for e Town of Chelmsford. He publicly thanked Judy Hass for all the work e has done. The Finance Committee recommended the article. The derator asked for a voice vote, motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 31 The Moderator read the article and asked for the he Planning Boards recommendation. Ann McCarthy read the Board's ecommendation:

The Planning Board held a public hearing on April 3, 1989 and voted n favor (6-0) to see if the Town will amend the Chelmsford Zoning y-law by deleting Article V. Definitions "Lot Area" and substituting in ts place the following:

ot, area. The horizontal area of the lot exclusive of any area in a treet or recorded way open to public use. At least eighty (80) percent f the lot area required for zoning compliance shall be contiguous land ther that that under any water body, bog, swamp, wet meadow, marsh, or ther wetland, as defind in Section 40, Chapter 131, G.L. as amended.

The Finance Committee recommended the article. The Board of lectmen supported the article. James McBride of the Conservation xplained that the Conservation asked for the Planning Board's o-operation on amending their by-laws to reflect this information. The oderator asked for a voice vote on the article, motion carried, nanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 32 Chairman of the Conservation Commission, James cBride, moved that the Town vote to amend the General By-law Article XI eneral Wetland By-Law as follows:

1. Under Section 8 amend the subtitle to read "Section 8 Relationship to Chapter 131 Section 40 and 310CMR and amend the text by adding the following:

"All reference in the by-law to chapter 131 Section 40 shall include the provisions of regulations promulgated pursuant to said statute as codified in 310CMR."

2. Under Section 3: Notice of Intent by deleting the last paragraph in its entirety and substituting in its place the following:

"Copies of the Notice of Intent shall be sent by the applicant, at the same time, by certified mail to all parties in interest. Parties in interest shall mean the petitioner, abutters, owners of land directly opposite on any public or private street or way, and abutters to abutters within 300 feet of the property line of the petitioner or the boundary of the wetland area under consideration, whichever is greater all as they appear on the most recent applicable tax list, not withstanding that the land of any such owner is located in another city of town."

James McBride explained that the first section adopts the new Wetland By-laws of the state and that the second section will mean that all abutters in a 300 foot radius will be notified just like all other boards do. The Finance Committee recommended the article. The Moderator asked for a voice vote. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 33 Selectman Henrick Johnson moved to dismiss this article becasue it falls under the jurisdication of the Recreation Commission because of the adoption of the Charter. Motion carried, unanimously to dismiss.

UNDER ARTICLE 34 Chairman of the Trash Advisory Committee Barbara Scavezze moved that the Town vote to amend the General By-laws Article VIII Waste Disposal by deleting Section 1 Dumping, in its entirety and substituting in its place the following:

Section 1 Dumping

a) It shall be unlawful for any person to dump any refuse or other solid waste as defined in General Laws Chapter 16 Section 18 on either public or private property other than an area approved and licensed by the Board of Health or the Department of Environmental Quality Engineering. Violators of this by-law shall be punishable by a fine of $300.00 for each offense and shall be required to remove the illegally dumped, refuse and dispose of it in accordance with town, state and federal regulations. Any violator shall be responsible for all costs and expenses incurred in the removal and disposal of said waste. Said penalties shall be cumulative with fines and penalities under any federal or state criminal or civil statute.

Barbara Scavezze asked Raymond Gatti to explain the article. Raymond Gatti explained that the present by-law is out dated and that this by-law would enable the town to enforce a fine if violators are found. The Finance Committee recommended the article. Scott McCaig moved to amend the article by increasing the fee to be $500.00. Town Counsel James Harrington explained that the Committee orginally wanted the figure to be $500.00 but statute would only allow the limit to be $300.00. Scott McCaig withdrew his motion. The Moderator asked for a voice vote on the article, motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 35 Selectman Henrick Johnson moved to dismiss the article. The matter of the article is now addressed in the Charter. The Finance Committee supported the motion. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 36 Selectman Henrick Johnson moved that the town vote to transfer the care, custody, management, and control of the Center School from the School Committee to the Board of Selectmen for another municipal purpose in accordance with General Law Chapter 40, Section 15A. Said school being shown on a plan entitle "Compiled Plan of Land Prepared for the Town of Chelmsford; Scale 1" = 100', October 1981, Fleming, Bienvenu, Associates, Inc.".

Selectman Johnson explained that the Town had a opportunity to enter into a contract with an agency interested in renting the property. The Board of Selectmen also have a re-opener clause added to the contract as the School Committee's requested in case the School Committee did in fact need the school at a later time. He asked the body for their support in the passage of the article. The Finance Committee also recommended the article. The Moderator asked for a voice vote, motion caried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 37 William Dalton explained now that the Charter will be in effect there is no need to have this article and he moved to withdraw or defeat this article. A discussion followed. The Moderator asked for a voice vote. Motion defeated by voice vote.

UNDER ARTICLE 38 William Dalton asked for this article to be withdrawn or defeated. Motion defeated by voice vote.

UNDER ARTICLE 39 Chairman of the Finance Committee, Dwight Hayward moved that the Town vote to instruct the Board of Assessors to issue the sum of $754,149.00 from Free Cash in the Treasury for the reduction of the tax rate. A Discussion followed. It was explained that in order to be able to set the tax rate the Body had to vote this figure. The Moderator asked for a voice vote. Motion carried unanimously. The Moderator seeing no further business at hand declared the meeting closed. The Meeting adjourned at 11:05PM.

Dennis McHugh, Moderator

Mary E.St.Hilaire, Town Clerk

WARRANT FOR THE SPECIAL TOWN ELECTION
SEPTEMBER 19, 1989

MIDDLESEX, SS.

To the constable, or any other suitable person of the Town of Chelmsford:

GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid, you are hereby requested to notify and warn the legal voters of said Chelmsford to meet in their several polling places, Viz:

Precinct 1.	Town Offices Building Gymnasium
Precinct 2.	Harrington Elementary School Gymnasium
Precinct 3.	Harrington Elementary School Gymnasium
Precinct 4.	Westlands School Cafeteria
Precinct 5.	Byam School Cafeteria
Precinct 6.	Westlands School Cafeteria
Precinct 7.	McCarthy Middle School, Small Gymnasium
Precinct 8.	McCarthy Middle School, Small Gymnasium
Precinct 9.	Town Offices Building Gymnasium

On, Tuesday, the 19th day of September, 1989, being the third Tuesday in said month, at 10:00 A.M. until 8:00 P.M., for the following purposes:

To bring in their vote for the election of 162 Town Meeting Members, 18 representatives per precinct, for terms based on election results as stated in the charter as follows:

"The term of office of persons so elected shall be extended so that the terms of office of the first third (6) in order of votes received shall expire at the town election held in the fourth year (1993) following the year in which the charter is adopted; the terms of office of the second third (6) in such order of votes received shall expire at the town election held in the third year (1992) following the year in which the charter is adopted; and the terms of office of the remaining third (6) in such order shall expire at the town election held in the second year (1991) following the year in which the charter is adopted. At the expiration of terms of office town meeting members shall be elected for terms of three years."

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said Special Town Election.

Given under our hands this 11th day of September, A.D. 1989.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN OF TOWN OF CHELMSFORD

Henrick R. Johnson, Jr Chairman

Bonita A. Towle, Vice Chairman

Dennis J. Ready, Clerk

Bradford O. Emerson

Roger A. Blomgren

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

IDDLESEX, SS 9-11-89-

ursuant to the within warrant, I have notified and warned the nhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford by posting up attested opies of same at the following places, to wit: own Office Building Gym, Harrington School Gymnasium, Harrington chool Gymnasium, Westland School Cafeteria, Byam School afetorium, Westland School Cafeteria, McCarthy Middle School mall Gymanisum, McCarthy Middle School Small Gymanisum, and Town ffice Building Gym, and Town Office Building Lobby.

Signed:

William E. Spence,
Constable

A True Copy Attest, William E. Spence

William E. Spence, Constable

PRECINCT 1 (436 Ballots Cast)

VOTE	NAME	ADDRESS
298	William R. Logan	8 Fleetwood Dr
147	Carl W. Seidel	25 Ruthellen Rd
146	Scott J. McCaig	7 Boyds Ln
214	Sandra A. Kilburn	11 Golden Cove Rd
133	Martha McClure	23 Billerica Rd
286	John P. Clancy	53 Ansie Rd
125	Robert M. Schneider	12 Marion St
149	Robert E. Olson	14 Harold St
120	Jean B. Rook	41 Westford St
223	Susan G. Koeckhoven	86 Boston Rd
138	Charles W. Frye	9 Biscayne Dr
173	Marian D. Currier	54 Boston Rd
112	Helen A. Manahan	26 Muriel Rd
179	John G. Coppinger	20 Ansie Rd
188	Robert P. Joyce	103 Turnpike Rd
83	David A. MacDonald	10 E. Putnam Ave
100	Henry A. Houle	1 Pearson St
185	Philip L. Currier	54 Boston Rd
146	John G. Mamalis	5 Raymond Rd
96	Joel M. Karp	8 Derringer Rd
86	David W. Roscoe	30 Worthen St
129	William E. Spence	91 Billerica Rd
106	Richard P. McClure	23 Billerica Rd
193	Barry B. Balan	17 Jessie Rd
3755	Sub Total	
0	All Others	
4093	Blanks	
7848	TOTAL	

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TOWN MEETING REPRESENTATIVES

PRECINCT 1

TERM	VOTE	NAME	ADDRESS
1993	298	William R. Logan	8 Fleetwood Dr
1993	286	John P. Clancy	53 Ansie Rd
1993	223	Susan G. Koeckhoven	86 Boston Rd
1993	214	Sandra A. Kilburn	11 Golden Cove Rd
1993	193	Barry B. Balan	17 Jessie Rd
1993	188	Robert P. Joyce	103 Turnpike Rd
1992	185	Philip L. Currier	54 Boston Rd
1992	179	John G. Coppinger	20 Ansie Rd
1992	173	Marian D. Currier	54 Boston Rd
1992	149	Robert E. Olson	14 Harold St
1992	147	Carl W. Seidel	25 Ruthellen Rd
1992	146*	Scott J. McCaig	7 Boyds Ln
1991	146*	John G. Mamalis	5 Raymond Rd
1991	138	Charles W. Frye	9 Biscayne Dr
1991	133	Martha McClure	23 Billerica Rd
1991	129	William E. Spence	91 Billerica Rd
1991	125	Robert M. Schneider	12 Marion St
1991	120	Jean B. Rook	41 Westford St

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Order of filling vacancies:

112	Helen A. Manahan	26 Muriel Rd
106	Richard P. McClure	23 Billerica Rd
100	Henry A. Houle	1 Pearson St
96	Joel M. Karp	8 Derringer Rd
86	David W. Roscoe	30 Worthen St
83	David A. MacDonald	10 E. Putnam Ave

PRECINCT 2 (Ballots Cast 472)

VOTE	NAME	ADDRESS
163	Barry T. Bell	5 Mansur St.
202	Harry A. Foster	17 Princeton St
204	Francis G. Miskell	38 Groton Rd
117	Robert J. Scharn	55 Swain Rd
162	George F. Abley	87 Swain Rd
145	James A. DeProfio	41 Dunstable Rd
79	Donna A. Johnson	71 Princeton St
149	Patricia A. Jamros	160 Tyngsboro Rd
107	David E. Rand	167 Dunstable Rd
143	Albert Leman	28 Washington St
97	Timothy L. Pomerleau	27 Ledge Rd
174	Bonnie I. Foster	31 Groton Rd
82	Thomas J. Tevlin	27 Fifth Ave
156	Kathryn A. Schmitz	282 Wellman Ave
225	Richard E. DeFreitas	227 Wellman Ave
103	Henrick R. Johnson Jr	71 Princeton St
84	Paul A. Bordonaro	48 Needham St
178	Harold I. Matzkin	E24 Scotty Hollow Dr
145	Mary Jo Welch	31 Kennedy Dr
182	Susan M. Olsen	140 Groton Rd
138	Marc A. Vandenbulcke	36 Wright St
149	Karen S. Vandenbulcke	36 Wright St
167	Loretta A. Gelenian	317 Wellman Ave
217	George L. Merrill	108 Dunstable Rd
101	Richard F. Burtt Jr	15 Stonehill Rd
151	Jeffrey W. Stallard	8 Princeton Dr
154	David G. Conrad	60 Dunstable Rd
3974	Sub Total	
0	All Others	
4522	Blanks	
8496	TOTAL	

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TOWN MEETING REPRESENTATIVES

PRECINCT 2

TERM	VOTE	NAME	ADDRESS
1993	225	Richard E. DeFreitas	227 Wellman Ave
1993	217	George L. Merrill	108 Dunstable Rd
1993	204	Francis G. Miskell	38 Groton Rd
1993	202	Harry A. Foster	17 Princeton St
1993	182	Susan M. Olsen	140 Groton Rd
1993	178	Harold I. Matzkin	E24 Scotty Hollow Dr
1992	174	Bonnie I. Foster	31 Groton Rd
1992	167	Loretta A. Gelenian	317 Wellman Ave
1992	163	Barry T. Bell	5 Mansur St.
1992	162	George F. Abley	87 Swain Rd
1992	156	Kathryn A. Schmitz	282 Wellman Ave
1992	154	David G. Conrad	60 Dunstable Rd
1991	151	Jeffrey W. Stallard	8 Princeton Dr
1991	149**	Patricia A. Jamros	160 Tyngsboro Rd
1991	149**	Karen S. Vandenbulcke	36 Wright St
1991	145**	James A. DeProfio	41 Dunstable Rd
1991	145**	Mary Jo Welch	31 Kennedy Dr
1991	143	Albert Leman	28 Washington St

**Order determined by ballot drawing 8-15-89

Order of filling vacancies:

138	Marc A. Vandenbulcke	36 Wright St
117	Robert J. Scharn	55 Swain Rd
107	David E. Rand	167 Dunstable Rd
103	Henrick R. Johnson Jr.	71 Princeton St
101	Richard F. Burtt Jr.	15 Stonehill Rd
97	Timothy L. Pomerleau	27 Ledge Rd
84	Paul A. Bordonaro	48 Needham St
82	Thomas J. Tevlin	27 Fifth Ave
79	Donna A. Johnson	71 Princeton St

PRECINCT 3 (477 Ballots Cast)

VOTE	NAME	ADDRESS
254	D. Lorraine Lambert	91 Main St
274	Carole A. Marcotte	48 School St
142	Cynthia M. Sullivan	27 Lovett Ln
112	John M. Hanlon	4 Castlewood Dr
79	Richard P. Arcand	11 Ridgewood Rd
157	Thomas P. Regan	13 Horseshoe Rd
71	Thomas M. Archibald	140 Main St
109	Normand A. LaBrecque	2 Longspur Rd
75	John W. Molignano	8 Footpath Rd
134	Thomas E. Moran	19 Dennison Rd
229	Priscilla A. Rega	12 Lovett Ln
218	Kathleen S. Fitzpatrick	15 Footpath Rd
163	Stephen A. Gould	21 Horseshoe Rd
83	Pauline R. Lamontagne	15 Barry Dr
173	Judith Hass	27 McIntosh Rd
140	Thomas J. Welch	56 Crooked Spring Rd
142	Christine A. Gleason	7 Loiselle Ln
219	Brenda A. McDermott	7 Footpath Rd
90	Jerold H. Sullivan	21 Jordan Rd
109	Leon O. LeMaire III	45 Meadowbrook Rd
103	Jonathan C. Stubbs	121 School St
112	John P. Turco	10 Princess Ave
53	John J. Gulde Jr	23 Windsor St
142	Michael F. Curran	58 Crooked Spring Rd
135	Robert D. Marazzi	89 Main St
65	Donald F. Lamontagne	15 Barry Dr
130	Pamela S. Amway	35 Horseshoe Rd
174	John P. Emerson Jr	8 Loiselle Ln
120	Thomas F. Carey Jr	40 Horseshoe Rd
194	Jane S. McKersie	8 Gristone Rd
4201	Sub Total	
0	All Others	
4385	Blanks	
8586	TOTAL	

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PRECINCT 3

TERM	VOTE	NAME	ADDRESS
1993	274	Carole A. Marcotte	48 School St
1993	254	D. Lorraine Lambert	91 Main St
1993	229	Priscilla A. Rega	12 Lovett Ln
1993	219	Brenda A. McDermott	7 Footpath Rd
1993	218	Kathleen S. Fitzpatrick	15 Footpath Rd
1993	194	Jane S. McKersie	8 Gristone Rd
1992	174	John P. Emerson Jr	8 Loiselle Ln
1992	173	Judith Hass	27 McIntosh Rd
1992	163	Stephen A. Gould	21 Horseshoe Rd
1992	157	Thomas P. Regan	13 Horseshoe Rd
1992	142*	Michael F. Curran	58 Crooked Spring Rd
1992	142*	Christine A. Gleason	7 Loiselle Ln
1991	142*	Cynthia M. Sullivan	27 Lovett Ln
1991	140	Thomas J. Welch	56 Crooked Spring Rd
1991	135	Robert D. Marazzi	89 Main St
1991	134	Thomas E. Moran	19 Dennison Rd
1991	130	Pamela S. Amway	35 Horseshoe Rd
1991	120	Thomas F. Carey Jr	40 Horseshoe Rd

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Order of filling vacancies:

112**	John M. Hanlon	4 Castlewood Dr
112**	John P. Turco	10 Princess Ave
109**	Normand A. LaBrecque	2 Longspur Rd
109**	Leon O. LeMaire III	45 Meadowbrook Rd
103	Jonathan C. Stubbs	121 School St
90	Jerold H. Sullivan	21 Jordan Rd
83	Pauline R. Lamontagne	15 Barry Dr
79	Richard P. Arcand	11 Ridgewood Rd
75	John W. Molignano	8 Footpath Rd
71	Thomas M. Archibald	140 Main St
65	Donald F. Lamontagne	15 Barry Dr
53	John J. Gulde Jr	23 Windsor St

PRECINCT 4 (385 Ballots Cast)

VOTE	NAME	ADDRESS
193	John T. Conrad Jr	3 Wildwood St
115	Robert L Hughes	14 Fuller Rd
107	Jacob P. Sartz III	83 Gorham St
136	Jeffrey A. Brem	20 Subway Ave
154	Thomas E. Firth Jr	15 Oak Knoll Ave
140	Linda J. Allen	9 Clancy St
219	Ruth K. Delaney	14 Evergreen St.
145	Lynn M. Marcella	74 Carlisle St
133	Martha W. Shelton	14 Sylvan Ave
112	John R. Hibbard	50 Manning Rd
164	Bonita Towle	7 Albina St
105	Patrick M. Mesiti	24 Pineneedle St
114	Timothy F. O'Connor	45 Gorham St
126	Donald P. Ayer	3 Westland Ave
125	Beverly A. Koltookian	3 Forrest St
151	Frances T. McDougall	11 Dawn Dr
158	John B. Sousa Jr	5 Pleasant Ave
98	Joseph J. Tarantino	15 Maple Ave
131	Kay E. Roberts	51 Moore St
117	Steven B. Hadley	6 Fern St
116	Michael R. Parquette	20 Sylvan Ave
140	Gary R. Wilson	11 Subway Ave
119	Daniel J. Sullivan III	4 Shedd Ln
161	Gerald W. Pacht	44 Carlisle St
3279	Sub Total	
0	All Others	
3651	Blanks	
6930	TOTAL	

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TOWN MEETING REPRESENTATIVES

PRECINCT 4

TERM	VOTE	NAME	ADDRESS
1993	219	Ruth K. Delaney	14 Evergreen St.
1993	193	John T. Conrad Jr	3 Wildwood St
1993	164	Bonita Towle	7 Albina St
1993	161	Gerald W. Pacht	44 Carlisle St
1993	158	John B. Sousa Jr	5 Pleasant Ave
1993	154	Thomas E. Firth Jr	15 Oak Knoll Ave
1992	151	Frances T. McDougall	11 Dawn Dr
1992	145	Lynn M. Marcella	74 Carlisle St
1992	140**	Linda J. Allen	9 Clancy St
1992	140**	Gary R. Wilson	11 Subway Ave
1992	136	Jeffrey A. Brem	20 Subway Ave
1992	133	Martha W. Shelton	14 Sylvan Ave
1991	131	Kay E. Roberts	51 Moore St
1991	126	Donald P. Ayer	3 Westland Ave
1991	125	Beverly A. Koltookian	3 Forrest St
1991	119	Daniel J. Sullivan III	4 Shedd Ln
1991	117	Steven B. Hadley	6 Fern St
1991	116	Michael R. Parquette	20 Sylvan Ave

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Order of filling vacancies:

115	Robert L. Hughes	14 Fuller Rd
114	Timothy F. O'Connor	45 Gorham St
112	John R. Hibbard	50 Manning Rd
107	Jacob P. Sartz III	83 Gorham St
105	Patrick M. Mesiti	24 Pineneedle St
98	Joseph J. Tarantino	15 Maple Ave

PRECINCT 5 (481 Ballots Cast)

VOTE	NAME	ADDRESS
85	Lawrence S. Segal	1 Kastraki Pl
171	James M. Creegan	21 Locust Rd
82	John W. Forrest Jr	37 Barton Hill Rd
208	Arnold J. Lovering	8 Omega Cir
83	Jerome C. Conner	289 Acton
80	Iris E. Larssen	34 Elm St
129	Frederick C. Marcks	13 Dakota Dr
128	Jean Kydd	71 Elm Street
130	Robert E. Brooks	142 Park Rd
143	Glenn R. Thoren	18 Pinewood Rd
110	Catherine M. Robinson	4 Mansfield Dr
130	W. Allen Thomas Jr	374 Littleton Rd
112	Patricia Wojtas	24 Elm St
128	Catherine Brown	180 High St
50	Charles W. Bevis	5 Thornton Ln
149	Evelyn S. Thoren	18 Pinewood Rd
70	Daniel E. Caless	24 Barton Hill Rd
158	Wendy C. Marcks	13 Dakota Drive
146	Dean Carmeris	20 Higate Rd
133	Jonathan A. Stevens	126 Robin Hill Rd
126	Diane M. Phillips	71 Byam Rd
41	Charles T. Buuck	6 Kastraki Pl
199	Barbara H. Ward	15 Pinewood Rd
154	Ronald W. Wetmore	247 Acton Rd
158	Kathleen F. Hillman	94 Proctor Rd
96	Kenneth W. Davis	169 Robin Hill Rd
48	Robert J. Foster	16 Smokerise Dr
94	Brian H. Wells	12 Armand Dr
66	Kevin R. Frost	65 Park Rd
143	Violet R. Stone	288 Littleton Rd
96	Norman C. Locke	151 Park Rd
157	David P. McLaughlin	110 Garrison Rd
106	Judith A. Tavano	7 Lambda Ln
60	Raymond A. Costa	1 Mansfield Dr
61	Paul A. Egan	12 Lakeside Ave
119	John R. Hibbard Jr	288 Littleton Rd
138	Steven J. Temple	17 Pinewood Rd
153	J. Ronald Gamache	67 Byam Rd
4440	Sub Total	
0	All Others	
4218	Blanks	
8658	TOTAL	

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TOWN MEETING REPRESENTATIVES

PRECINCT 5

TERM	VOTE	NAME	ADDRESS
1993	208	Arnold J. Lovering	8 Omega Cir
1993	199	Barbara H. Ward	15 Pinewood Rd
1993	171	James M. Creegan	21 Locust Rd
1993	158	Wendy C. Marcks	13 Dakota Drive
1993	158	Kathleen F. Hillman	94 Proctor Rd
1993	157	David P. McLaughlin	110 Garrison Rd
1992	154	Ronald W. Wetmore	247 Acton Rd
1992	153	J. Ronald Gamache	67 Byam Rd
1992	149	Evelyn S. Thoren	18 Pinewood Rd
1992	146	Dean Carmeris	20 Higate Rd
1992	143**	Glenn R. Thoren	18 Pinewood Rd
1992	143**	Violet R. Stone	288 Littleton Rd 219
1991	138	Steven J. Temple	17 Pinewood Rd
1991	133	Jonathan A. Stevens	126 Robin Hill Rd
1991	130**	Robert E. Brooks	142 Park Rd
1991	130**	W. Allen Thomas Jr	374 Littleton Rd
1991	129	Frederick C. Marcks	13 Dakota Dr
1991	128*	Catherine Brown	180 High St

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Order of filling vacancies:

128*	Jean Kydd	71 Elm Street
126	Diane M. Phillips	71 Byam Rd
119	John R. Hibbard Jr	288 Littleton Rd
112	Patricia Wojtas	24 Elm St
110	Catherine M. Robinson	4 Mansfield Dr
106	Judith A. Tavano	7 Lambda Ln
96**	Kenneth W. Davis	169 Robin Hill Rd
96**	Norman C. Locke	151 Park Rd
94	Brian H. Wells	12 Armand Dr
85	Lawrence S. Segal	1 Kastraki Pl
83	Jerome C. Conner	289 Acton
82	John W. Forrest Jr	37 Barton Hill Rd
80	Iris E. Larssen	34 Elm St
70	Daniel E. Caless	24 Barton Hill Rd
66	Kevin R. Frost	65 Park Rd
61	Paul A. Egan	12 Lakeside Ave
60	Raymond A. Costa	1 Mansfield Dr
50	Charles W. Bevis	5 Thornton Ln
48	Robert J. Foster	16 Smokerise Dr
41	Charles T. Buuck	6 Kastraki Pl

PRECINCT 6 (529 Ballot Cast)

VOTE	NAME	ADDRESS
110	John R. Tyson Jr	39 Montview Rd
253	Margaret A. Johnson	28 Woodlawn Ave
248	Bradford O. Emerson	30 Lantern Ln
277	Raymond P. McKeon	73 Hornbeam Hill Rd
139	Howard J. Hall	5 Hillcrest Dr
123	Andrew C. Sims	13 Balsam Dr
108	Peter E. Clougherty	41 Smith St
169	Brian J. Stanton	10 Manwell Rd
131	Patrick J. Calnan	16 Lantern Ln
203	Roger A. Blomgren	5 Driftwood Dr
205	Aileen R. McCarthy	37 Smith St
162	James A. Sousa	3 Pleasant St
170	Mary E. Frantz	34 Miland Ave
207	David J. McLachlan	51 Brentwood Rd
154	Francis X. Roark	12 Sunrise Ave
141	John Demers	6 Starlight Ave
289	John W. Carson	26 Ideal Ave
162	Earl C. Burt	38 Woodlawn Ave
184	Edward S. Marshall	16 Colonial Drive
97	John E. Kaelin, Jr	22 Fairbanks Road
176	Martin A. Gruber	8 Dalton Road
172	Cheryl M. Wharshafsky	3 Moonbeam Avenue
214	Janet G. Dubner	46 Dalton Road
209	M. Elizabeth Marshall	16 Colonial Drive
4303	Sub Total	
1	All Others	
5218	Blanks	
9522	TOTAL	

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PRECINCT 6

TERM	VOTE	NAME	ADDRESS
1993	289	John W. Carson	26 Ideal Ave
1993	277	Raymond P. McKeon	73 Hornbeam Hill Rd
1993	253	Margaret A. Johnson	28 Woodlawn Ave
1993	248	Bradford O. Emerson	30 Lantern Ln
1993	214	Janet G. Dubner	46 Dalton Rd
1993	209	M. Elizabeth Marshall	16 Colonial Dr
1992	207	David J. McLachlan	51 Brentwood Rd
1992	205	Aileen R. McCarthy	37 Smith St
1992	203	Roger A. Blomgren	5 Driftwood Dr
1992	184	Edward S. Marshall	16 Colonial Dr
1992	176	Martin A. Gruber	8 Dalton Rd
1992	172	Cheryl M. Wharshafsky	3 Moonbeam Ave
1991	170	Mary E. Frantz	34 Miland Ave
1991	169	Brian J. Stanton	10 Manwell Rd
1991	162**	James A. Sousa	3 Pleasant St
1991	162**	Earl C. Burt	38 Woodlawn Ave
1991	154	Francis X. Roark	12 Sunrise Ave
1991	141	John Demers	6 Starlight Ave

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Order of filling vacancies:

139	Howard J. Hall	5 Hillcrest Dr
131	Patrick J. Calnan	16 Lantern Ln
123	Andrew C. Sims	13 Balsam Dr
110	John R. Tyson Jr	39 Montview Rd
108	Peter E. Clougherty	41 Smith St
97	John E. Kaelin, Jr	22 Fairbanks Road

PRECINCT 7 (422 Ballots Cast)

VOTE	NAME	ADDRESS
133	Bruce A. Kunkel	17 Galloway Road
73	Leslie L. Damon	23 Longmeadow Road
92	Brian R. Sullivan	22 Cloverhill Drive
52	Michael P. Anthony	37 Littleton Road
90	Paul G. Ahern	181 Littleton Road
178	Dennis J. Ready	2 Abbott Lane
76	William H. Palmer, Jr.	300 Old Westford Road
101	Margaret A. Schloeman	41 Cloverhill Drive
141	Bernard A. Ready	31 Cloverhill Drive
94	Michael F. McCall	28 Galloway Road
118	Carol A. Stark	4 Hostler Road
135	John F. Geary, Jr.	38 Amble Road
79	Bruce Berger	12 Gelding Road
141	Mark W. Gauthier	29 Bartlett Street
104	Stratos G. Dukakis	10 Galloway Road
135	Andrew V. Silinish	2 Blacksmith Road
157	Edward H. Hilliard	3 Gifford Lane
97	Thomas E. Mills	21 Wagon Trail Road
94	Donald O. Benson III	10 Livery Road
76	James A. Decker	12 Hillside Lane
171	Susan J. Gates	7 Trotting Road
119	Dwight M. Hayward	59 Amble Road
111	Nicholas G. Gavriel	43 Bartlett Street
63	Frank P. Lawrence	1 Pennock Road
79	Richard P. Tevlin	189 Littleton Road
135	Kathryn Brough	14 High Street
115	Frederick W. Wikander	17 Wagon Trail Road
147	Joan M. Gauthier	29 Bartlett Street
133	Leonard W. Doolan III	52 Amble Road
82	David B. Delmore	186 Westsford Street
49	Ernest J. Taylor	53 Bartlett Street
111	Charles A. Cook	70 Amble Road
69	Charles A. Schramm	15 Bridge Street
74	Philibert W. Ruhmann	27 Abbott Ln
72	Bruce C. Foucar	16 Bentley Lane
82	Michael P. Berger	5 Wagon Trail Road
3778	Sub Total	
0	All Others	
3818	Blanks	
7596	TOTAL	

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PRECINCT 7

TERM	VOTE	NAME	ADDRESS
1993	178	Dennis J. Ready	2 Abbott Ln
1993	171	Susan J. Gates	7 Trotting Rd
1993	157	Edward H. Hilliard	3 Gifford Ln
1993	147	Joan M. Gauthier	29 Bartlett St
1993	141**	Bernard A. Ready	31 Cloverhill Dr
1993	141**	Mark W. Gauthier	29 Bartlett St
1992	135**	John F. Geary, Jr.	38 Amble Rd
1992	135**	Andrew V. Silinish	2 Blacksmith Rd
1992	135**	Kathryn Brough	14 High St
1992	133**	Bruce A. Kunkel	17 Galloway Rd
1992	133**	Leonard W. Doolan III	52 Amble Rd
1992	119	Dwight M. Hayward	59 Amble Rd
1991	118	Carol A. Stark	4 Hostler Rd
1991	115	Frederick W. Wikander	17 Wagon Trail Rd
1991	111**	Nicholas G. Gavriel	43 Bartlett St
1991	111**	Charles A. Cook	70 Amble Rd
1991	104	Stratos G. Dukakis	10 Galloway Rd
1991	101	Margaret A. Schloeman	41 Cloverhill Dr

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Order of filling vacancies:

97	Thomas E. Mills	21 Wagon Trail Rd
94**	Michael F. McCall	28 Galloway Rd
94**	Donald O. Benson III	10 Livery Rd
92	Brian R. Sullivan	22 Cloverhill Dr
90	Paul G. Ahern	181 Littleton Rd
82**	David B. Delmore	186 Westsford St
82**	Michael P. Berger	5 Wagon Trail Rd
79**	Bruce Berger	12 Gelding Rd
79**	Richard P. Tevlin	189 Littleton Rd
76**	William H. Palmer, Jr.	300 Old Westford Rd
76**	James A. Decker	12 Hillside Ln
74	Philibert W. Ruhmann	27 Abbott Ln
73	Leslie L. Damon	23 Longmeadow Rd
72	Bruce C. Foucar	16 Bentley Ln
69	Charles A. Schramm	15 Bridge St
63	Frank P. Lawrence	1 Pennock Rd
52	Michael P. Anthony	37 Littleton Rd
49	Ernest J. Taylor	53 Bartlett St

PRECINCT 8 (380 Ballots Cast)

VOTE	NAME	ADDRESS
108	Robert M. Burns	56 Prescott Drive
126	Richard J. Day	6 Merilda Avenue
142	Stuart G. Weisfeldt	13 Overlook Drive
113	Peter G. Johnson	85 Locke Road
140	Doris J. Mahoney	48 Prescott Drive
85	Bernice F. Poulten	16 Berkeley Drive
126	Cynthia A. Walcott	72 Prescott Drive
88	Joseph W. Paolilli, Jr.	45 Richardson Road
88	Judy A. Metz	167 Middlesex Street
69	Ronald P. Valeri	346 North Road
119	Reginald M. Larkin	102 Middlesex Street
119	Daniel W. Burke	7 Arbutus Avenue
117	Alexander W. Gervais	5 Arbutus Avenue
98	Janet B. Hendl	21 Overlook Drive
111	Evelyn P. Bell	98A Middlesex Street
78	Edward P. Tomaszewski	95 Richardson Road
113	Samuel Poulten	16 Berkeley Drive
81	Charlene M. LaRoche	26 Beech Street
137	William P. Keohane	82 Prescott Drive
95	Mary A. Tomaszewski	95 Richardson Road
120	Richard P. Greska	6 Roosevelt Street
119	Cheryl Adkins Boss	3 Sycamore Street
89	Francis M. Conlin	14 John Street
126	Carrie A. Steiman	25 Grandview Road
118	Bruce J. Harper, Sr.	9 Harvard Street
62	Christopher T. Garrahan	4 Maynard Circle
111	Stanley W. Norkunas	58 Church Street
104	James P. Boermeester	99 Richardson Road
132	William F. Dalton	12 Dartmouth Street
178	Walter A. Cleven	4 Arbutus Avenue
121	Henry E. Sullivan	1 Bel Air Drive
3433	Sub Total	
0	All Others	
3407	Blanks	
6840	TOTAL	

Election results broken down from highest to lowest vote indicating the term of office of the candidates

TOWN MEETING REPRESENTATIVES

PRECINCT 8

TERM	VOTE	NAME	ADDRESS
1993	178	Walter A. Cleven	4 Arbutus Ave
1993	142	Stuart G. Weisfeldt	13 Overlook Dr
1993	140	Doris J. Mahoney	48 Prescott Dr
1993	137	William P. Keohane	82 Prescott Dr
1993	132	William F. Dalton	12 Dartmouth St
1993	126*	Richard J. Day	6 Merilda Ave
1992	126*	Cynthia A. Walcott	72 Prescott Dr
1992	126*	Carrie A. Steiman	25 Grandview Rd
1992	121	Henry E. Sullivan	1 Bel Air Dr
1992	120	Richard P. Greska	6 Roosevelt St
1992	119*	Daniel W. Burke	7 Arbutus Ave
1992	119*	Reginald M. Larkin	102 Middlesex St
1991	119*	Cheryl Adkins Boss	3 Sycamore St
1991	118	Bruce J. Harper, Sr.	9 Harvard St
1991	117	Alexander W. Gervais	5 Arbutus Ave
1991	113**	Peter G. Johnson	85 Locke Rd
1991	113**	Samuel Poulten	16 Berkeley Dr
1991	111*	Evelyn P. Bell	98A Middlesex St

*Term determined by RTM members at tie breaking election 9-25-89

**Order determined by ballot drawing 8-15-89

Order of filling vacancies:

111*	Stanley W. Norkunas	58 Church St
108	Robert M. Burns	56 Prescott Dr
104	James P. Boermeester	99 Richardson Rd
98	Janet B. Hendl	21 Overlook Dr
95	Mary A. Tomaszewski	95 Richardson Rd
89	Francis M. Conlin	14 John St
88**	Joseph W. Paolilli, Jr.	45 Richardson Rd
88**	Judy A. Metz	167 Middlesex St
85	Bernice F. Poulten	16 Berkeley Dr
81	Charlene M. LaRoche	26 Beech St
78	Edward P. Tomaszewski	95 Richardson Rd
69	Ronald P. Valeri	346 North Rd
62	Christopher T. Garrahan	4 Maynard Circle

PRECINCT 9 (178 Ballots Cast)

VOTE	NAME	ADDRESS
80	Elizabeth A. McCarthy	48 Bartlett St
67	Allan T. Galpin Jr	2 Sante Fe Rd
52	George M. Goguen	10 Queen St
62	Edward A. Cady	10 Crockett Dr
76	Samuel J. Brink	33 Clarissa Rd
77	Barbara J. Scavezze	8 Gallup Dr
74	Donald L. Elias	28 Regina Dr
81	Roland E Linstad	3 Cambridge St
65	Robert M. Sexton Jr	4 Alamo Cir
64	Frank R. Peterson	6 Laredo Dr
71	James P. Good	4 Burning Tree Ln
98	Eleanor D. Abbott	8 Ranch Rd
65	Cynthia J. Kaplan	22 Bartlett St
79	Doris A Tereshko	21 State St
90	Alan R. Pajak	4 Sandra Dr
87	John S. Fudge Jr	32 Janet Rd
78	Alan L. Moyer	23 Clarissa Rd
70	Donald N. Keirstead	12 Stillwater Dr

1336	Sub Total
0	All Others
1868	Blanks
3204	TOTAL

Election results broken down from highest to lowest vote indicating the term of office of the candidates

TOWN MEETING REPRESENTATIVES

PRECINCT 9

TERM	VOTE	NAME	ADDRESS
1993	98	Eleanor D. Abbott	8 Ranch Rd
1993	90	Alan R. Pajak	4 Sandra Dr
1993	87	John S. Fudge Jr	32 Janet Rd
1993	81	Roland E Linstad	3 Cambridge St
1993	80	Elizabeth A. McCarthy	48 Bartlett St
1993	79	Doris A Tereshko	21 State St
1992	78	Alan L. Moyer	23 Clarissa Rd
1992	77	Barbara J. Scavezze	8 Gallup Dr
1992	76	Samuel J. Brink	33 Clarissa Rd
1992	74	Donald L. Elias	28 Regina Dr
1992	71	James P. Good	4 Burning Tree Ln
1992	70	Donald N. Keirstead	12 Stillwater Dr
1991	67	Allan T. Galpin Jr	2 Sante Fe Rd
1991	65**	Robert M. Sexton Jr	4 Alamo Cir
1991	65**	Cynthia J. Kaplan	22 Bartlett St
1991	64	Frank R. Peterson	6 Laredo Dr
1991	62	Edward A. Cady	10 Crockett Dr
1991	52	George M. Goguen	10 Queen St

**Order determined by ballot drwing 8-15-89

WARRANT FOR SPECIAL TOWN MEETING
OCTOBER 12, 1989

MIDDLESEX, SS.

To the Constable, or any other suitable person of the Town of Chelmsford.

In the name of the Commonwealth, aforesaid you are hereby requested to notify and warn the Town Meeting members of said Chelmsford to meet in the McCarthy Middle School Auditorium on Thursday evening, the twelfth day of October, 1989, at 7:30 p.m., then and there to act upon the following Articles:

ARTICLE 1. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer and appropriate from available funds a certain sum of money to Line Item 59 Fire Department Salary; or act in relation thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

ARTICLE 2. To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate the sum of $535,000.00 from free cash in the Treasury to line item 107, Chelmsford School Department Salaries; or act in relation thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

ARTICLE 3. To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate (1) the sum of $88,703 from Free Cash in the Treasury and (2) the sum of $11,297 received from the state as a result of the flood in 1986 to Line item # 106, Waste Collection Expenses; or act in relation thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

ARTICLE 4. To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate the sum of $13,088.00 from free cash in the Treasury to line item 50, Treasurer/Collector salary; or act in relation thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

ARTICLE 5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer and appropriate from available funds, the sum of $7,845.00 to line item 40 Selectmen Salaries; or act in relation thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

ARTICLE 6. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Chelmsford Zoning By-Laws by deleting under Article V. Definitions the paragraph subtitled Home Occupation, and substituting in its place the following:

Home Occupation: An occupation, trade, service or profession which is incidental to and conducted in a dwelling unit or in a building or other structure accessory thereto by a resident thereof, or act in relation thereto;

PLANNING BOARD

ARTICLE 7. To see if the Town will vote pursuant to General Laws Chapter 82, Section 21, that public convenience and necessity require that a portion of Brook Street, as hereinafter described shall be discontinued and all public rights in any and all portions of said street, and/or town wars relative to said street shall be henceforth discontinued and abandoned; said street is more particularly described as follows:

That portion of Brook Street as shown on a plan entitled "Proposed Discontinuance Brook Street" on file with the Town Clerk.

And to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen for consideration to be determined to convey and transfer all right, title and interest, if any, held by the Town in the above parcel of land located on the discontinued portion of said way/road to the owners abutting said property; or act in relation thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

ARTICLE 8. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to acquire in fee simple by purchase by eminent domain, or otherwise, for cemetery purposes, a certain parcel of land situated on Lexington Street, off Riverneck Road, being lots 197 and 198 as shown on a plan entitled "Otis Adams Plan" recorded in Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, in Plan Book 7, Plan 27, and containing 5000 square feet of land more or less; being a portion of the premises conveyed to Helen Saras by a deed dated August 15, 1960 and recorded in the Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds in Book 1487, Page 590 and being the same premises conveyed to Peter Saras by deed dated October 31, 1983 and recorded in the Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds in Book 2671, Page 532; and to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, transfer and appropriate from available funds, transfer and appropriate from the Stabilization Fund, transfer and appropriate from revenue sharing funds, and/or borrow a certain sum of money to defray all necessary costs, fees and expenses in the acquisition of said land and for paying any damages which may be awarded as the result of such taking; or act in relation thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

ARTICLE 9. To see if the Town will vote to reconsider the fiscal 1990 Annual Town budget, approved as Article 14 at 1989 Annual Town Meeting by decreasing the following departmental accounts as follows:

Line Item	Account	Decrease
5. Assessors	Expense Cut-Reduce Property Update Effort	$10,000.00
16. Elections	10% Expense Cut-Reduced Polling Hours	$ 2,759.00
32. Planning Board	10% Expense Cut	450.00
35. Public Buildings	10% Expense Cut	$ 6,017.00
38. Registrars	10% Expense Cut	$ 1,193.00
41. Selectmen	10% Expense Cut	$ 2,180.00
45. Clerk	10% Expense Cut	$ 665.00
51. Treasurer	5% Expense Cut	$ 1,898.00
53. Dog Officer	Delay Hiring of Assistant Dog Officer	$ 5,460.00
54. Dog Officer	10% Expense Cut	650.00
59. Fire	Reduce Overtime	$50,000.00
60. Fire	5% Expense Cut	$ 8,773.00
67. Insect Control	10% Expense Account	$ 580.00
68. Inspection	Reduce Wiring Inspector	$ 7,000.00
	Eliminate Alternate Inspector	$ 2,000.00
72. Police	Reduce Overtime	$50,000.00
73. Police	5% Expense Cut	$11,720.00
81. Traffic & Safety	Eliminate Traffic Eng.	$15,000.00
	Special Projects Encumbered Funds	$45,000.00
83. Tree Warden	10% Expense Cut	$ 1,287.00
86. Highway	10% Expense Cut	$47,044.00

Line Item	Account	Decrease
90. Engineer	10% Expense Cut	$ 1,375.00
97. Health	10% Expense Cut	$ 3,385.00
100. Health	Reduce Mosquito Control	$ 5,350.00
102. Sewer	10% Expense Cut	$ 8,550.00
103. Sewer	Reduce Out of State	$ 2,000.00
107. School	Expense Cut	$486,440.00
109. Nashoba Valley		$ 29,964.00
110. Cemetery	Reduce Overtime	$ 2,500.00
111. Cemetery	Expense Cut	$ 2,500.00
113. Cemetery	Decrease Outlay	$ 1,600.00
115. Council on Aging	10% Expense Cut	$ 1,187.00
120. Library	10% Expense Cut	$ 8,616.00
123. Library	Reduce Books & Periodicals	$ 5,000.00
127. Veterans	Reduce Cash and Materials Grants	$ 7,500.00
129. Park	Reduce Part Time Salary	$ 2,500.00
130. Park	10% Expense Cut	$ 670.00
133. Recreation	10% Expense Cut	$ 2,474.00
141. County Retirement	Expense Cut	$ 7,667.00
Total		$1,048,954.00

or act in relation thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

ARTICLE 10. To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate the sum of $5,000.00 from the Insurance Sinking Trust to line item # 20, Liability Insurance, in order to reimburse the Town of Chelmsford's insurance carrier for payments made within the deductible provisions of said policy; or act in relation thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

ARTICLE 11. To see if the Town will vote to reconsider Article 15 of the 1989 Annual Town Meeting by decreasing $20,036 from the Reserve Fund; or act in relation thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

ARTICLE 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer and appropriate from available funds the sum of $3,750 to Line Item 110. Cemetery Department Salary; or act in relation thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

ARTICLE 13. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Board of Selectmen to form a Committee charged with the study, organization and implementation of a Proposition 2 1/2 override for the purpose of supplementing the funding of the Town's 1991 budget, said committee to be known as the Fiscal Planning Advisory Board, and to be comprised of the Town Manager, the Town Accountant, the Town Treasurer, a Large Department Head, a Small Department Head, a Large Union President, a Small Union President, and one member from each precinct elected by that delegation of newly elected Town Meeting Representatives; or act in relation thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this 25 day of September , A.D. 1989.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN OF TOWN OF CHELMSFORD

Henrick R. Johnson, Jr Chairman

Bonita A. Towle, Vice Chairman

Dennis J. Ready, Clerk

Bradford O. Emerson

Roger A. Blomgren

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

MIDDLESEX, SS

Sept 27, 1989

Pursuant to the within warrant, I have notified and warned the Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford by posting up attested copies of same at the following places, to wit: Town Office Building Gym, Harrington School Gymnasium, Harrington School Gymnasium, Westland School Cafeteria, Byam School Cafetorium, Westland School Cafeteria, McCarthy Middle School Small Gymanisum, McCarthy Middle School Small Gymanisum, and Town Office Building Gym, and Town Office Building Lobby.

Signed:

William E. Spence

William E. Spence,
Constable

A True Copy Attest, William E. Spence

William E. Spence, Constable

INFORMAL ORIENTATION MEETING FOR REPRESENTATIVE TOWN MEETING MEMBERS

OCTOBER 5, 1989

The Meeting was called to order at 7:45 PM at the McCarthy Middle School Auditorium. The Moderator, Dennis McHugh welcomed all the newly elected Representative Town Meeting Members. The Town voted in April to have a Charter for Chelmsford. This meant that there would now be a Town Manager and Representative Town Meeting. A Special Election took place on Tuesday September 19th in which 18 voters were elected from each of the nine precincts. A total of 162 members were elected. There were 154 members present at the meeting.

The Moderator then asked the members to go over the information that was supplied by the Town Clerk. In their packages were: copies of the Open Meeting Law, the Warrant for the STM of October 12th, the Charter, and RTM practices and procedures prepared by the Moderator, and I.D. badges. He explained that the badges are to be worn at all times during the meetings. Only those voters wearing the badges will be allowed to sit in the designated area and counted if a hand count is conducted. Temporary ones will be issued by the Town Clerk if a RTM Member doesn't have their's the night of a meeting.

The Moderator then introduced the Town Clerk Mary E. St.Hilaire. The Town Clerk asked for all the RTM members present from precincts 2,4,6,7,9, to please rise and take the oath of office. On September 25th precincts 1,3,5,and 8 were sworn in at the Town Office Building when tie breaking ballots were casted for their precincts. She then explained that everyone present received and signed for copies of the Open Meeting Law, and proceeded to go over certain areas of the law. If the individual precincts meet to discuss town meeting articles or anything pertaining to town business, they are subject to the Open Meeting Law and must post 48 hours in advance prior to any meeting. She urged the members to read the law so they won't be in any violation.

The Moderator then introduced the Town Manager, Bernard F. Lynch. The Town Manager had passed out prior to the meeting a booklet explaining proposition 2 1/2 and the Town Status for FY 90 and a financial forecast up to FY 1994. Questions were asked concerning the Free Cash line item in the forecasted figures. A lengthy discussion took place concerning proposition 2 1/2. Bernard Lynch explained the effects of it and what has happened to the Town since 2 1/2 has been established.

The RTM Members asked if it would be possible to review the STM articles. The Moderator explained that any explanation would have to take place the night of the meeting because all parties involved with an article would be present and would be responsible for their own explanation.

Robert Sexton asked for a ruling on the Conflict of Interest Law, and how if any it would effect the RTM Members. It was explained that RTM Members do not come under this law or the Campaign Finance Law. The Town Counsel was requested to have an opinion on the Conflict of Interest Law available for the October 12th meeting.

The Moderator asked if there were any further questions. Hearing none, he reminded the RTM Members to bring their badges and copy of the warrant to the October 12th meeting. He closed the meeting at 9:30 PM.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

OCTOBER 12, 1989

The Special Town Meeting was called to order at 7:35 PM at the McCarthy Middle School Auditorium by the Moderator Dennis E. McHugh. There were 157 representatives present.

The Moderator went over the town meeting procedures. He explained that the body had a copy of the motions to be acted upon during the meeting. If any representative wanted to amend the motion then they could do so in writing and a vote would be taken on the amendment. If passed, a vote would be required on the main motion as amended. Selectman Bonita Towle moved that the reading of the Constable's return of service and the posting of the warrant be waived. It was so voted, unanimously. Selectman Towle then moved that the reading of the entire warrant be waived. It was so voted, unanimously.

The Moderator explained that Town Counsel was asked to give an opinion at this meeting concerning the conflict of interest in regards to town meeting members voting on issues. He then proceeded to read the opinion of Town Cousel James Harrington which was addressed to Dennis McHugh, as follows:

"Pursuant to your request for an opinion relative to the potential conflict of interest of a town meeting member in voting on any issue in which he has an interest, pecuniary or otherwise, the following is rendered.

The conduct of public officials and employees is regulated by Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 268A. Specific sections of this Chapter cover the consduct of a municipal employee. A municipal employee is defined by Section (1) (g) as "a person performing services for or holding an office, position, employment, or membership in a municipal agency, whether by election, appointment, contract of hire or engagement, whether serving with or without compensation, on a full or part-time, intermittent or consultant basis but excluding (1) elected members of a town meeting and (2) members of a charter commission established under Article LXXXIX of the Amendments to the Constitution."

By definition all elected town meeting members are specifically exempted from the provision of Chapter 268A, the conflict of interest statute. As they are exempt from the provisions of this Chapter a town meeting member will not be found to have a conflict of interest on any issue at town meeting and may deliberate and vote on all matters regardless of any personal interest he may have in the subject matter.

This office has conferred with Stuart A. Kaufman, Esquire, General Counsel to the State Ethics Commission who has concurred with this opinion with the caveat that any elected or appointed town official or other municipal employee should designate the capacity in which they are addressing town meeting prior to speaking, as elected town meeting member or in their capacity as a town official."

Robert Sexton precinct 9, asked for a point of order. He wanted the opinion to be incorporated into the town meeting records. The Moderator assured him that by reading the opinion to the body that the clerk would indeed record the opinion in its entirety.

UNDER ARTICLE 1 Selectman Towle moved that the Town vote to transfer and appropriate from free cash in the treasury the sum of $250,000 to Line Item 59 Fire Department Salary.

Selectman Johnson explained that this was the ratification of the Fire Department's union contract. After many months of arbitration, both sides felt that it was in the best interest of the town to radify the contract and avoid any additional months of further arbitration. He explained the language of the contract the first year is a 5% raise broken down 3% the first 6 months and 2% the next six months. The second year is 2% the first 6 months and 3% the second six months. The third year is a 4% raise.

The Finance Committee supported the article. The Moderator asked for any discussion. James Doukszewicz asked if the figure shown was the full amount of the contract or is this the amount after the deductions? Town Manager, Bernard Lynch said it was the full amount of the contract. Harry Foster precinct 2, asked for an actual breakdown of the figures. Town Manager Bernard Lynch explained $130,000 of the figure is the amount needed for the retro-active pay for the last fiscal year that there was a contract. The remaining $120,000 is for the end of this fiscal year of June 30th. A question was raised on where the funding was going to come from for this article and the next article? Mr Lynch explained that there is $996,000 in free cash already raised, the money will come from there. For the future years the money will have to be raised and appropriated. The Moderator asked for a voice vote. George Merrill precinct 2 asked for a point of order. He wanted all votes taken on warrant articles to be by roll call, due to people being in the hall are not all voting representatives. The Moderator explained that when a voice vote is taken he will determine if a hand count is needed. The body also has the privilege of questioning his judgement as long as seven other members question his call. The Moderator asked for a voice vote on the article. Motion carried unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 2 Selectman Bonita Towle moved that the Town vote to transfer and appropriate the sum of $535,000.00 from free cash in the Treasury to the Chelmsford School Department line item titled "Total School Department".

Chairman of the School Committee Barbara Ward asked permission to allow Thomas Carroll a non resident to be able to speak to the body if necessary to answer questions about the article. The Moderator asked for a voice vote, motion carried. She explained that the figures shown is what is needed to balance the School Department's budget after all the cuts have been made and contracts settled. The Finance Committee supported the article. A discussion took place. The Moderator asked for a voice vote, motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 3 Selectman Bonita Towle moved that the Town vote to transfer and appropriate (1) the sum of $88,703 from Free Cash in the Treasury and (2) the sum of $11,297 received from the state as a result of the flood in 1986 to Line item #106, Waste Collection Expenses.

Town Manager Bernard Lynch explained that this was the additional money needed for the Solid Waste Collection (Recycling Program). The program had started in July, at that time an estimate was given on the expense of collecting recyclable items throughout the Town. The program itself is successful, however more money is needed at this point to continue the process. The Finance Committee supported the article. A question was raised concerning Bernard Lynch who is a non resident speaking without first obtaining permission from the body. The Moderator explained that this was addressed in the charter. Any department head including the Town Manager are allowed to speak in order to explain an article. Roger Blomgren asked for support of this article. He felt that the recyclable program was working, and less tonnage of trash was being hauled away and that the savings maybe small

at this point, but at least it is a positive start on trying to curb future expenses. A question was raised on how much tonnage is recyclable from the weekly trash pick up? Bernard Lynch gave some estimated figures. The town has averaged 11,050 tons of solid waste per month over the last three months. The bi-weekly recyclable pick up has averaged between 228-230 tons of recyclables. The bulk item week generated 65 tons of trash. The Moderator asked for a voice vote, motion carried. He then went on to article 4 but stopped to make a point of order. Article 3 required a 2/3's vote or a unanimous voice vote, therefore he had to return to article 3 to justify the vote. The Moderator attempted another voice vote, which left the chair in doubt. The following tellers came forward and a hand count was taken:

Marc Vanderbulcke	Helen Manahan	Stanley Norkunas
Howard Hall	John Hanlon	Tom Mills

Result of the hand count: Yes 132 No 18 2/3's is 100, motion carried.

UNDER ARTICLE 4 Selectman Bonita towle moved that the Town vote to transfer and apprpriate the sum of $13,088.00 from free cash in the Treasury to line item 50, Treasurer/Collector Salary.

Selectman Johnson spoke in favor of the article. He explained that this was the amount needed for payment of sick days for a retired Town Employee. The employee had worked 26 years for the Town and according to the Personnel Board By-law, any accumulated sick time is paid for at the time of retirement. The Finance Committee supported the article only because it was a by-law. They hope that in the future this will not be necessary. A discussion took place. A number of the Town Meeting Members spoke for and against the article. Scott McCaig made a motion to move the question to stop debate. The Modertor asked for a voice vote, motion carried, unanimously. The Moderator asked for a voice vote on the article, motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 5 Selectman Bonita Towle moved that the Town vote to transfer and appropriate from free cash in the Treasury the sum of $7,845.00 to line item 40 Selectmen Salaries.

Selectman Johnson explained that the Town has adopted the position of Town Manager as stated in the Charter and this is the amount needed to fund it. Due to the Town already being three months into the fiscal year this is for the remaining nine months. The Finance Committee is in favor of the article. Jeffrey Stallard precinct 2, read a letter of opposition that was in the Merrimack Valley Advertiser. He asked why the salary was so high. Selectman Johnson explained that the Screening Committee had set up the criteria, before the final applicants were chosen. There were seventy-two original applicants and after due process they were narrowed down to five applicants. The Committee choose three finalist and presented them to the Board of Selectmen for their final choice. Bernard Lynch was chosen unanimously by the Board of Selectmen. The Selectmen surveyed surrounding Towns with a population like Chelmsford's and the average salary was $66,939.80. He felt if any of the other applicant's had been chosen then the salary wouldn't have been an issue. The Board felt Bernard Lynch deserved the job of Town Manager because he qualified for it. Not because Bernard Lynch was the prior Executive Secretary to the Board of Selectmen. A number of the Town Meeting Members spoke in favor of the article. Henry Sullivan moved the question to stop debate. The Moderator asked for a voice vote, motion carried. The Moderator attempted a voice vote on the article, which failed. The Tellers came forward and a hand count was taken. the result of the hand count was: Yes 140 No 4 2\3's is 96 the motion carried.

UNDER ARTICLE 6 Selectman Bonita Towle moved that the town vote to dismiss Article 6 in its entirety.

James Harrington Town Counsel explained that the Planning Board wanted to be able to further study this zoning bylaw definition change, and would bring it back for a vote at the annual meeting. The Moderator asked for a voice vote, motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 7 Selectman Bonita Towle moved that the town vote pursuant to General Laws Chapter 82, Section 21, that public convenience and necessity require that a portion of Brook Street, as hereinafter described shall be discontinued and all public rights in any and all portions of said Street, and/or town ways relative to said street shall be henceforth discontinued and abandoned; said street is more particularly described as follows:

That portion of Brook Street as shown on a plan entitled "Proposed Discontinuance Brook Street" on file with the Town Clerk.

And move that the Town vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen for consideration to be determined to convey and transfer all right, title and interest, if any, held by the Town in the above parcel of land located on the discontinued portion of said way/road to the owners abutting said property.

Selectman Johnson stated that the original Brook Street as layed out 100 years ago abutts Leonard MacElvoy's land, and he asked Mr MacElvoy to come forward and explain the article. Leonard MacElroy explained why he wanted the road discontinued. It was formerly owned by Deacon David Perham over 100 years ago. In 1889 a strip of land was surveyed as being 32 feet wide and 220 feet long which lead to an area called Perham Park. The park was a gift to the town that was never accepted. Since David Perham passed away, nobody paid the taxes on the land. The piece of land known as Perham Park has long been disposed of by the town. Mr MacElroy wants to get the strip of land left, back on the tax rolls. The strip is to be divided in half. He will take the half which abuts his property and the other half will go to John Gioumbakis, the abutter on the other side of the strip of land. The Finance Committee recommended the article. The Moderator asked for a voice vote, motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 8 Selectman Bonita Towle moved that the Town vote to dismiss Article 8 in its entirety.

Town Counsel James Harrington explained that this was land that the Cemetery Commissioners wanted to purchase. An offer has been made to the owner of the 5,000 sq ft piece of land. However, an agreement hasn't been reached yet. The Commissioners are now in the process of petitioning the Middlesex County Commissioners. Once an agreement has been made, then the article will be placed on a future Town Meeting Warrant for consideration. The Finance Committee recommended the dismisal. The Moderator asked for a voice vote on the motion to dismiss, motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 9 The Moderator read the article and a discussion took place. Town Manager Bernard Lynch explained that the Town did vote a balanced budget at the time of the Annual Town Meeting. However,in July after the fiscal year had already begun, the Commonwealth of Massachusetts took away 1.2 million dollars of anticipated funding. This immediately threw the Town's budget out of balance. This has prevented certifying a tax rate and the Town had to go back into the budget and find ways to make it balance. The only way to make it balance is to cut or get more revenue. Difficult decisions had been made. He tried to

spread the reduction around so that not just one department was cut. Also to avoid citizens feeling that scare tactics were being used to prove a point that money wasn't available. The figures that appear are the result of the effort made. He asked for support of this article so that the 1990 budget can be balanced in order to be able to move on and start working on the 1991 budget and hopefully eliminate some of the difficult decisions in the future. The Finance Committee supported the article. These are the figures needed to balance the budget. Richard DeFreitas precinct 2, moved that line item 107 in article 8 be discussed and voted on separately. The Finance Commmittee was against the motion. They feel that the article should be voted on as presented. There was no need to have any separate discussion or vote. The Moderator asked for a voice vote, motion defeated. James DeProfio precinct 2, expressed that the School Department can not afford to take any further cuts in the future and that this should be the final cut. A question was raised concerning if the Departments had a choice on where the cuts are to be made. Mr Lynch said that they did. Richard DeFreitas precinct 2, expressed that he felt unnecessary cuts were being made in the teaching personnel and not cutting back any administrative personnel. Barbara Ward Chairman of the School Committee explained that the administrative has in fact been cut. The Committee did consider all the personnel needed in order to maintain a school system. Samuel Poulten, School Committee member, stated that the budget is voted on at open sessions of the School Committee Meetings. People are allowed at that time to express where and what exactly should be cut. The School Committee has to come up with a bottom line figure which is the figure needed to run the department. The figure shown is what will be minus from the bottom line figure. If voted then the Committee will decide further on where exactly the cuts will be made. Cheryl Boss explained that the State of Massachusetts has a law which allows only the five members of the School Committee to decide where the cuts are to be made, regardless on where the Town Meeting Body wants them made. The School Committee depends on the professional people that they hire to assist them with this process. William Dalton precinct 8, asked where the $50,000.00 cut is going to be made in the Fire Department budget? If the contractual agreements are involved, how are they going to be addressed? Mr Lynch said he would try to explain without getting into the specifics of bargaining. It was the Board's intention to try and cut back on overtime and that would involve the sporatic closing of the West Fire Station. Mr Dalton asked if the Board intended to violate the contract? It was not intended, Mr Lynch stated. After the Special Mr Lynch wants to sit down and discuss the facts. Mr Dalton felt it should have been discussed prior. Mr Lynch said that they couldn't because they didn't have any definite cuts in the budget. Once its done they will sit down and try to work those things out. The Board wants to avoid layoffs and go for just technical things. Mr Dalton asked if the Town was looking for new revenue then why was the Town classified the way it was. Selectman Brad Emerson replied that it dosen't matter what vote the Board of Selectmen take on the tax classification, whatever ratio is determined a vote is not going to bring in any new revenue, it just puts the source in different catagories. Mr Dalton felt that the Town should classify the businesses higher like some of the surrounding cities/and towns. There wouldn't be any need for an override. The businesses would be paying for the services provided to them by the Town. Scott McCaig precinct 1, wanted to delete Line Item 16 Elections, from the article. He felt it was important for the voters to vote at the polls. If any more money is cut then the voters won't have the opportunity to do so. The Finance Comittee was against the motion. The Moderator asked for a voice vote on the motion, motion defeated. Susan Olsen precinct 2, asked a question concerning the Traffic and Safety line item. She wanted the body to be made aware of the projects being cut, and asked for an explanation to be given. Mr Lynch explained the $15,000.00 is the fee for the shared Regional Traffic Engineer thru NMAC. The $45,000.00 are

funds that were appropriated for on going projects that will simply be terminated at this time. The specific areas that will receive less attention right now are Chelmsford Center. Less money will be on hand for the intersections of Acton & Parker Road and Boston Road and Summer Street. On Boston Road and Summer Street, he hoped that the Town might get a private developer who is doing work in the area to make a contribution to implement the plans that the Town has prepared. At this time John Emerson precinct 3, moved the question to stop debate. A point of order was made that speaker was trying to be heard prior to the motion, but the Chair did not recognize her. Mr Emerson withdrew his motion in order to allow the speaker the floor. Bonnie Foster precinct 2, questioned the closing of the West Fire Station and the safety issue on doing so. Mr Lynch explained that the goal he has for all stations is the minimum response time of three minutes. The reason the West is being considered is because it can be easily accessed from the North Fire Station, Center Station and some cases the South Station. Its the one with the minimum impact to the residents of that area. The time delay would not be 3 minutes to 10 minutes, but in the area of 3 minutes to 6 minutes. He's hoping to be able to work with the unions on the sporadic closing. She asked when would the closing be, is there a specific time? Mr Lynch said no specific time, that still has to be worked out. It will be based upon when a shift is not being filled then it would simply not be filled. John Emerson moved the question. The Moderator asked for a voice vote, motion carried, unanimously. The Moderator asked for a voice vote on the article, motion carried and reads as follows:

Selectman Bonita Towle moved that the Town vote to reconsider the fiscal 1990 Annual Town budget, approved as Article 14 at 1989 Annual Town Meeting by decreasing the following departmental accounts as follows:

Line Item	Decrease
5. Assessors	10,000.00
16. Elections	2,759.00
32. Planning Board	450.00
35. Public Buildings	6,017.00
38. Registrars	1,193.00
41. Selectmen	2,180.00
45. Clerk	665.00
51. Treasurer	1,898.00
53. Dog Officer	5,460.00
54. Dog Officer	650.00
59. Fire	50,000.00
60. Fire	8,773.00
67. Insect Control	580.00
68. Inspection	7,000.00
	2,000.00
72. Police	50,000.00
73. Police	11,720.00
81. Traffic & Safety	15,000.00
	45,000.00
83. Tree Warden	1,287.00
86. Highway	47,044.00
90. Engineer	1,375.00
97. Health	3,385.00
100. Health	5,350.00
102. Sewer	8,550.00
103. Sewer	2,000.00
107. School	486,440.00

109. Nashoba Valley	29,964.00
110. Cemetery	2,500.00
111. Cemetery	2,500.00
113. Cemetery	1,600.00
115. Council on Aging	1,187.00
120. Library	8,616.00
123. Library	5,000.00
127. Veterans	7,500.00
129. Park	2,500.00
130. Park	670.00
133. Recreation	2,474.00
141. County Retirement	207,667.00
Total	1,048,954.00

UNDER ARTICLE 10 Selectman Bonita Towle moved that the Town vote to transfer and appropriate the sum of $5,000.00 from the Insurance Sinking Trust to line item #20, Liability Insurance, in order to reimburse the Town of Chelmsford's insurance carrier for payments made within the deductible provisions of said policy.

The Finance Committee recommended the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 11 Selectman Bonita Towle moved that the Town vote to reconsider Article 15 of the 1989 Annual Town Meeting by decreasing $20,036 from the Reserve Fund.

Town Manager Bernard Lynch explained the article. The Reserve Fund, is money put aside for "emergency" transfers that happen throughout the year. Unnecessary transfers will not take place. Dwight Haywood of the Finance Committee said that the Finance Committee supported the article. They must turn back money from their budget just like the other departments. The Moderator asked for a voice vote, motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 12 Selectman Bonita Towle moved that the Town vote to transfer and appropriate from free cash in the Treasury the sum of $3,750. to Line Item 110 Cemetery Department Salary.

Town Manager Bernard Lynch explained that this is the monies needed for the Cemetery Union. The Union settled after the Town Meeting ended in the Spring. They received a 5% increase and agreed to cut back the work force by 25%, from four people to three. The Finance Committee supported the article. Motion carried, unanimously.

UNDER ARTICLE 13 The Moderator read the article and a discussion took place. Selectman Dennis Ready moved to amend the article by adding the following sentence to the end: "The member from each precinct shall not hold an elective office in the Town of Chelmsford other than Town Meeting Member." Selectman Ready explained that this would force the opportunity for new faces and fresh ideas and avoid the public feeling that the same people are on all committees. The Finance Committee supports the motion to amend. Richard DeFreitas precinct 2, spoke in favor of the motion to amend. Samuel Poulten stated the wording of his motion and wanted to add clarification of the wording of the article. The Moderator said that this couldn't be done because it dealt with the body of the main motion. William Keohane precinct 8, explained that he is presently an elected member of the Chelmsford Housing Authority, which is mandated by the State. He felt he should be able to be on the committee and he moved to amend the motion. By adding: to exempt elected members of the Chelmsford Housing Authority from being excluded from serving on this committee. William Spence precinct 1, expressed concern

about the motion to amend. As Constable, he too is an elected official and felt that he shouldn't be excluded from serving on a committee if he so desired. A Discussion took place. The Moderator asked for a voice vote on the motion to amend the motion to amend. Motion defeated. He then asked for a voice vote on the motion to amend (Ready's Motion), motion defeated. He asked for further discussion. Samuel Poulten of the School Committee moved to amend the main motion. He said that four members of the School Committee were in favor of this motion, it reads as follows: by adding after the wording Town Treasurer, the Superintendent of Schools or his/her designee. And to clarify the wording of head of a large department, head of a small department, president of a large union, president of a small union etc. The Finance Committee and the Board of Selectmen were in favor of the motion to amend. The Moderator asked for a voice vote which left the chair in doubt, he asked for a show of hands, motion carried. Susan Olsen precinct 2, moved to amend the motion as amended by adding a member of the Finance Committee. The Finance Committee was in favor of the motion. Selectman Ready was against it. He said it would defeat the purpose of the committee by having the same people on it. The Moderator asked for a voice vote on the motion to amend, motion defeated. Town Manager Bernard Lynch asked for support on the article. Harry Foster precinct 2 spoke against the article. Evelyn Thoren precinct 5, moved to delete the word implementation and word the sentence "charge to study and organize ways of increasing revenues to fund and supplement etc" The Finance Committee is in favor of the motion to amend. The Moderator asked for a voice vote, motion carried, unanimously. Selectmen Roger Blomgren spoke in favor of article as amended. Robert Sexton precinct 9, moved to table the article. He felt that provisions are not stated on how the Town Meeting members are to be chosen. The Moderator explained that unless a date and time is established on when the article would be brought up again in effect the article would be defeated. He asked for a voice vote on the motion to table the article, which left the chair in doubt, he asked for a show of hands, motion defeated. More discussion took place. Harry Foster precinct 2, moved to amend the main motion as amended by adding this committee has this proposal placed in the Town Clerk's Office six weeks prior implementation or final decision by this committee or selectmen - or present it to a town meeting. The Finance Committee was not in favor of the motion to amend. Bernard Lynch explained that this committee needed to act now and not wait until the April Town Meeting to report back before any decisions could be made. Edward Hilliard precinct 7, asked for a privilege motion he wanted to recess the Special Town Meeting for ten minutes in order for the Town Meeting Members to caucus among themselves and select nine members for the committee. The Moderator asked for a voice vote, motion defeated. William Logan precinct 1, spoke against Harry Foster's motion to amend and asked for support of the article as amended. Scott McCaig precinct 1, moved the question to stop debate. The Modertor asked for a voice vote on the motion to amend, motion carried, unanimously. The Moderator asked for a voice vote on the motion to amend, motion defeated David McLachlan precinct 6, moved the question to stop debate on the main motion as amended. Motion carried, unanimously. He then asked for a voice vote on the main motion as amended, it left the chair in doubt, he asked for a show of hands, motion carried. The article reads as follows:

Selectmen Bonita Towle moved that the town vote to instruct the Board of Selectmen to form a committee charged to study and organize ways of increasing revenues to fund and supplement the town's 1991 budget, said committee to be known as the Fiscal Planning Advisory Board, and to be comprised of the Town Manager, the Town Accountant, the Town treasurer, the Superintendent of Schools or his/her designee, and a Head of a large department, a Head of a small department, a President of a large union, a President of a small union and one member from each

precinct elected by that delegation of newly elected Town Meeting Representatives.

Scott McCaig precinct 1, moved to adjourn the meeting at this time. A speaker asked for a point of order. She wanted to reconsider an article at this time. The Moderator told her that because a motion was already made to adjourn, that had to be voted on first. If it is defeated then she can bring up whatever article she wishes. The Moderator asked for a voice vote on the motion to adjourn, motion carried. The meeting adjourned at 10:30 PM.

Dennis E. McHugh, Moderator

Mary E. St.Hilaire, Town Clerk

Total Appropriations		(- $ 109,307.00)
Reduce Rasie & Approprite		(- $1,068,990.00)
Transfers from Available Funds:		
Free Cash	$898,386.00	
Special Revenue	11,297.00	
Prior Yr Approp.	45,000.00	
Trust Fund	5,000.00	
TOTAL		959,683.00
		(- $ 109,307.00)

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